

GREAT HIGHWAY FILM WILL BE SHOWN HERE TOMORROW 3 SHOWS

"FROM NEW YORK TO SAN FRANCISCO" AT AFTERNOON AND EVENING SHOWS.

SCHOOLS WILL CLOSE EARLIER

Pupils Will All Be Given Opportunity—Evening Shows Will Be At 7:15 and 9.

Tomorrow afternoon and evening the moving pictures of the Lincoln Highway "From New York to San Francisco" will be shown at the Dixon Opera House. The afternoon exhibition will commence at 3:45 and all the schools in the city will be closed early so that every student may have an opportunity to view these wonderful films. Superintendents Snyder and Hagen, of the south and north side schools, have made arrangements to let school out early enough for all students to get to the Opera House in time to see the starting of the picture.

Prices Very Low.

Every school boy and girls, including high school students, should be equipped with a five-cent piece upon leaving home tomorrow noon, for that is the price of admission for all students, both grade and high school. Adults will be charged 10 cents in the afternoon and everyone will be charged 10 cents in the evening. The idea in making the afternoon price so very low is that the picture has such an educational value that it is believed worth while to induce every boy and girl to see it.

In the evening there will be two shows, commencing at 7:15 and 9 o'clock.

Dixon people cannot afford to miss this opportunity to see the Lincoln Highway pictures. It will probably be the only time they will be shown in this city, for they are to be shown all over the country and thousands of other cities are waiting for their turn to get the reels.

Made Hit At Expo.

The feature film, the pictures of which were taken during the past summer, was recently presented before a large and enthusiastic gathering in the Exposition grounds at San Francisco. The audience was of a character to pass a valuable opinion on the merits of the production and their criticism and comments have been echoed wherever the pictures are seen. In the audience were Blythe Henderson, chief of transportation of the Exposition, Mayor Rolfe of San Francisco, John A. Wilson, president of the American Automobile association and many other well known personages representative of the varied interests to which the Lincoln Highway film appeals. The finding is summed up in the following telegram sent by W. E. Warford, secretary to Mr. Henry B. Joy, president of the Lincoln Highway association at Detroit:

Lincoln Highway films successfully produced before large and enthusiastic audience representative of city, state, foreign nations and transportation interests at Exposition. All present expressed great appreciation for pleasant and very profitable evening. I desire to offer you my heartiest congratulations for the assembling and presentation of the wonderful series of films. Wish you all possible success. Great credit due Ostermann.

(Signed) W. E. WARFORD.

OFFICIALS HONOR WASHINGTON

Every Agency of the Government Paid Homage to Him.

(Associated Press)

Washington, Feb. 22—Every agency of the American government today paid homage to the memory of Washington. The president, Secretary Lansing, the French ambassador and several other national figures, gathered in Centennial Memorial hall and in both houses of Congress Washington's farewell address was read.

MEETING POSTPONED.

The regular meeting of the city council which was to have been held this morning, was postponed until tomorrow because of today being a legal holiday.

WIRELESS MESSAGE BROADCAST

Notice Sent From Davenport, Iowa, Last Night Permeated Country.

(Associated Press)

Davenport, Ia., Feb. 22—The wireless message sent from Davenport last night to the governors of all of the states and the mayors of the large cities as a demonstration of the preparedness of the country's 2,500 licensed and amateur operators reached the remotest parts of the country through various relays, according to advice today.

MOTHER SET FIRE TO TWO LITTLE DAUGHTERS

KEWANEE INSANE WOMAN THEN SET FIRE TO HER OWN CLOTHING.

LOCKED LITTLE ONES IN ROOM

Kewanee, Feb. 22—Blotting out the lives of her two little daughters, Isabel and Casimer, by setting fire to their bodies after locking them in a room and then taking her own life by firing herself, Veronica Polosky, wife of Alex Polosky, committed one of the most horrible tragedies at the family home, that Kewanee has experienced for many a day. It was the act of a temporarily insane woman which resulted in the untimely end of two innocent little children and the mother of a family of five, according to the verdict of a coroner's jury. The entire community is shocked with the news of the awful tragedy.

Plans Carefully Laid.

Despite the fact that all indications point to the fact that the woman was not in her right mind when she committed the act, it is evident that the deed was premeditated and that her plans were very carefully and wisely laid so as not to cause suspicion or provoke interference. Only the two children and herself were in the house at the time of the firing. The children were dead when discovered. The mother lived only a few minutes after she was found. All the bodies were badly burned.

Second Attempt at Suicide.

It was the second attempt of Mrs. Polosky to take her own life, but at no time before had she threatened her family, as far as is known. About a year ago Mrs. Polosky took some poisonous liquid in an effort to take her life. The attempt was unsuccessful. At different times she showed signs of mental defects, but most of the time appeared to be of sound mind. Her intellectual fault was one of fear. She believed she had enemies who were intent upon doing her harm. She complained of receiving post cards and letters from people who threatened her, but as far as known they were imagined.

"GOOD ROADS" DAY IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

FRIDAY, MARCH 10, HAS BEEN DESIGNATED AS TIME FOR OBSERVANCE.

The second Friday in March has been set as Good Roads Day in the country schools of the state. A circular contains suggestive material on Better Country Roads, provided by James H. Green of the State College of Agriculture. This circular will be sent to all the county superintendents of the state for use in their school. It is suggested that they urge their instructors to have the children of the upper grades make a study of their local roads and secure their intelligent interest in a movement for their betterment.

On Good Roads Day there should be a program given, centering about this idea. Wherever possible some one should be asked to come before the school and make a talk on this matter.

REV. SHAW TO MILLEDGEVILLE

Former Pastor of Dixon Brethren Church Accepts Call There.

Rev. O. M. Shaw of this city former pastor of the Brethren church of Dixon, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Milledgeville church. He will take charge there the first of June.

GERMANY WILL GIVE U.S. HER ASSURANCES

PROMISE THAT UNRESISTING LINERS WILL NOT BE SUNK UNWARNED, HOLDS

WHAT IS DEFENSE ARMAMENT?

Question, However, Is Reassuring To U. S. As Liners Do Not Carry Guns

(Associated Press)

Washington, Feb. 22—Confidential advices received here from Berlin indicate that Germany will soon inform the United States that her previous assurances that unresisting liners will not be attacked without warning, will hold good for future submarine operations; provided, however, that such liners do not carry armament.

Germany will contend that what is now characterized as defensive armament is really offensive armament, when submarines are concerned and will propose a discussion with the United States on what defensive armament properly may be.

As none of the British and French liners clearing from American ports carry guns, such assurances from Germany will be in a nature reassurances for the safety of the neutrals they carry. Even under the terms of the new submarine campaign at last night's conference of Senators Stone and Kern, Representative Flood and President Wilson, the President told the congressional leaders that while the submarine situation is grave, it is not critical.

SENSATIONAL CHARGE AGAINST THOMPSON

CHICAGO CITY COUNCIL EXPECTED TO BEGIN INVESTIGATION IMMEDIATELY

(Associated Press)

Chicago, Feb. 22—It is expected the city council will begin without delay an investigation of the charge that Mrs. Page Waller Eaton, Superintendent of the City Bureau of Social Surveys, had been required to pay one-third of her salary to Mrs. Louise Osborne Howe, Superintendent of the Department of Public Welfare for the benefit of needy relatives of Mayor Thompson. Mrs. Eaton has resigned. Mrs. Howe and the Mayor deny the charge. Mrs. Eaton was very active in Thompson's campaign.

DIXON BOY HONORED BY MINN. STUDENTS

LOYD SCRIVEN MADE MEMBER OF BOARD WHO WILL ISSUE "GOPHER."

Minneapolis papers tell of the election of Lloyd J. Scriven of Dixon as the University of Minnesota Law School representative on the Board of Representatives which will publish the 1918 "Gopher," the annual university organ.

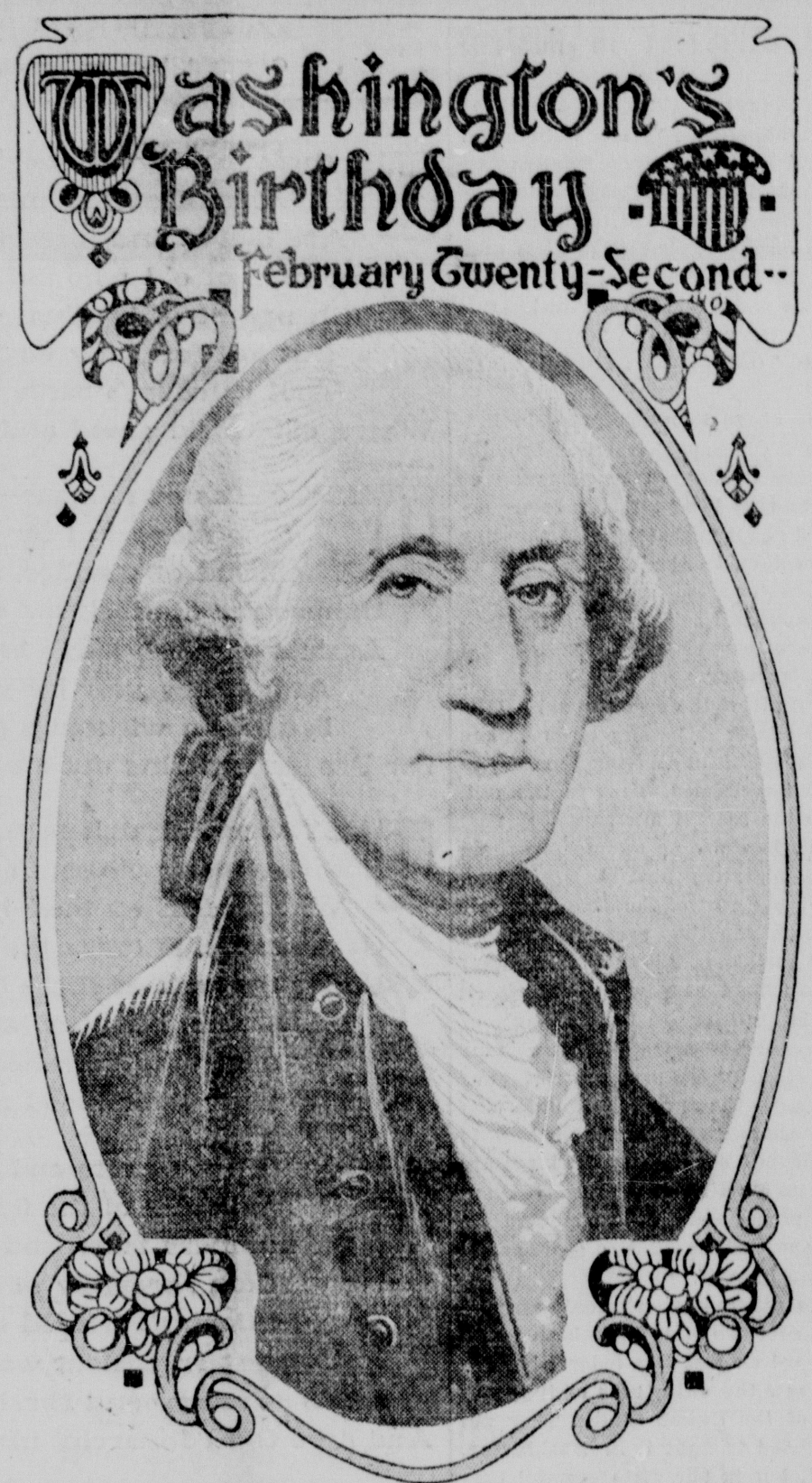
There were two other candidates for the office from the law school, of which the Dixon boy is a member, and before the election one of his opponents withdrew and endeavored to throw his strength to the other candidate but Scriven is evidently very popular with the classmates for he won out easily with thirty votes to spare. His election is considered an honor to the young Dixomite, for he is one of the eight men in the University who will superintend the publication of the annual, and he will prepare the matter that goes in the book regarding the law department. The young man is a son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Scriven.

SIX KILLED IN TRAIN COLLISION

Trains On New Haven Railroad Came Together in Connecticut.

(Associated Press)

New York, Feb. 22—Two passengers and four trainmen were killed and sixteen people were injured when a Connecticut river special ran into the rear end of another train near Milford, Conn. according to New Haven railroad officials here.



GERMANS ZEPPELIN LOST - CREW KILLED

FRENCH GUNS BROUGHT DOWN AIRCRAFT IN MEUSE DISTRICT TODAY.

(Associated Press)

British steamship Dingle, 600 tons has been sunk with presumably but one survivor.

Fire on Steamer

British steamer Arracan, loaded and ready to sail from St. Johns, N. B., was damaged by a fire of unknown origin. The fire was controlled after a two hour fight. The damage is believed to have been slight.

Germans Lost Zeppelin

Berlin admits the loss of a Zeppelin in the Meuse district and Paris says it took fire from French cannon shot, the crew of 22 being killed.

Take French Positions

The Germans have captured 800 metres of French positions in Souchez, according to today's Berlin statement.

Heavy Turkish Losses

Petrograd estimates the Turkish losses at Erzerum at 40,000 killed, wounded and captured.

STATE WILL STICK TO PACT

Homer Tice Says Illinois Will Not Renegé On Road Work.

The state of Illinois will not renege on the state aid road proposition at any time, Representative Homer Tice of Greenville, father of the Tice good roads law, told Supervisor Geo. Sills of Elgin. Mr. Sills asked if it were possible that the state would refuse to maintain and keep the state aid roads in repair after the county highway had been paid.

FRANCIS WILL ACCEPT.

Washington, Feb. 22—Former Governor Francis of Missouri will accept the United States Ambassadorship to Russia.

THE WEATHER

Tuesday, Feb. 22, 1916

Probably fair tonight and on Wednesday and somewhat cooler.

Sunday	27
Monday	24
Tuesday	39

ANDERSON THOUGHT HE SAW HIS VICTIM

IN CONFESSION TO GRAND JURY HE TOLD OF SEEING LENOX IN HIS SLEEP

DISPLAY ABSOLUTELY NO SORROW

Cambridge, Ill., Feb. 22—Frank Anderson stood behind the steel bars of his cell in the Henry county jail at Cambridge and with the eyes of 22 grand jurors turned on him repeated his confession of the murder of Roy Lenox, whose dead body was found at Cambridge some weeks ago. The jury had been escorted from the jury room to the jail to hear the confession before voting an indictment. "I had an argument with Lenox and hit him over the head with an axe," Anderson said in a voice which did not show the least sign of nervousness. The cool manner of the confessed murderer sent a chill through the jurors, most of them middle aged farmers.

"When I saw that he was dead I decided to hide his body," Anderson continued. "I carried it for some distance when I came upon the old well. Then after taking Lenox's money and valuables out of the clothing I dropped the body into the well. I thought it would be hidden there forever."

"When you went from city to city after the murder didn't the thought of the crime you had committed haunt you?" W. H. Smith, foreman of the jury, asked the prisoner.

"Well, sometimes when I would wake up at night I would imagine that I could see Lenox standing over me but then I would drop off to sleep and forget it," the prisoner replied.

The jurors, astonished at the cool manner in which Anderson repeated his confession to them, fled back to their room and voted an indictment for murder in the first degree.

DYKEMAN WAS FOUND NOT GUILTY BY JURY

CASE IN MAGISTRATE KENT'S COURT COMPLETED LATE MONDAY EVENING

The hearing in the case of William Dykeman charged with disorderly conduct was not completed in Magistrate W. G. Kent's court until after 10 o'clock Monday evening, when the jury returned their verdict finding the defendant not guilty. Mr. Dykeman was represented by some half dozen attorneys and a large number of witnesses were called in the case. The trouble grew out of Mr. Dykeman going to the W. D. Drew office and demanding 85 cents he claimed as fees for serving some legal papers.

Mahlon Guthrie, who was with Mr. Dykeman at the time and who was arrested on a similar charge, was to have had his hearing this morning, but on motion of the attorneys for the prosecution the case was dismissed.

NORTH WESTERN BUYS MORE BIG ENGINES

BIDS ASKED ON SIXTY-FIVE NEW LOCOMOTIVES—BUSINESS INCREASE.

The Chicago & North Western, according to word received here, is to purchase 65 new locomotives. Bids have been called for and as soon as they are opened and approved the contract will be awarded. Of the 65, 25 will be freight engines, 12 passenger and 28 switching and transfer engines.

According to officials the addition of engines is needed from time to time. The business of the road is said to have grown considerably of late and requires more engines to handle the increased volume of freight. Then, too, the old engines on the road are wearing out constantly and have to be replaced as the old timers are put on the scrap pile. The aim of the North Western road is to keep its equipment up to the highest possible standard.

Frank Sutterlin left Monday for Frankfort, Ky.

WOMAN WITH GUN SHOT HER AUNT IN QUARREL MON. EVE

BOUCHER HOME, NORTH DIXON, SCENE OF NEAR-TRAGIC SHOOTING AFFRAY.

OVER SOME LOANED SILVERWARE

No Warrants Have Been Sworn Out Because of Relationship of the Parties.

A North Dixon home was the scene of what might have been a serious shooting affray Monday night about 10 o'clock. A 32-calibre revolver was discharged and the bullet grazed the lady of the house, making an abrasion of the skin on the left forearm, the muzzle being held so close to her that there were powder burns on the skirt at the hip. The bullet buried itself in the floor. There was a general mix-up between the persons in the house and the lady holding the revolver was overpowered and a call was sent for the police. The woman and her husband attempted to make their getaway but were overtaken by the officers before they had gone very far from the scene of the affray and were taken back to the house, but inasmuch as the parties interested are related no warrants have been sworn out as yet.

Demanded Silver.

Several days ago Mrs. Harold Sniffin and cousin, Miss Irene Boucher, went to Peoria on a visit. Miss Boucher returned Saturday and Mrs. Sniffin arrived last evening. On her arrival home Mrs. Sniffin learned that her aunt, Mrs. Boucher, had some silverware belonging to her that her husband had turned over to her as security on a small loan she made him. She immediately went to the Boucher home on North Galena avenue and on arriving there found several members of the family engaged in a game of cards.

Stepping into the room where all were seated, according to the statement made by Mrs. Boucher, Mrs. Sniffin demanded the silverware and she was refused it until the money advanced her husband had been paid back, and was further informed that the articles had been left over to town. She persisted in her demands and said she would not leave until she had recovered the property. Mrs. Boucher then ordered her to leave the house and stepped toward her, and it is alleged by those who witnessed the affray that Mrs. Sniffin drew the revolver from her sleeve or pocket and fired. Before Mrs. Sniffin could fire again she had been overpowered and the weapon was taken from her, it is said.

As soon as the officers arrived they were given the particulars. Mrs. Sniffin and husband had left but were found a block west of the Boucher home. When the gun was turned over to the police the trigger was up and one chamber was empty.

ARMY OFFICER WAS PLEASED WITH VISIT

COMPANY G MADE FAVORABLE IMPRESSION ON INSPECTOR CAPT. PATTERSON

All but three members of Company G were present at the army last evening for the inspection of the company by Capt. Patterson, a U. S. army officer. The inspector gave them a very rigid test in all branches of the service and especially on the manual-of-arms and foot movement, as well as in battalion formation and company drill. He likewise made an inspection of all equipment and the conditions in which the guns were kept. He spoke very highly on the proficiency of the company and of the condition in which he found everything pertaining to the armory. He then gave a short talk to the members on army maneuvers and field duty.

FOUR DIE IN FIRE.

(Associated Press)
New York, Feb. 22—Thos. Harding, proprietor of a theatrical boarding house, and four employees lost their lives when the building burned today.

W. C. B. Graham was here last evening from Chicago visiting friends.

Vest Pocket Essays

By GEORGE FITCH
Author of "At Good Old Siwash"
GEORGE WASHINGTON.

George Washington, the father of a national parent much earlier in this country, was born in Virginia on Feb. 22, 1732. He was the son of aristocratic parents and his boyhood was spent playing with the scions of aristocracy in West moreland County, most of whom became presidents of the United States later on. He was a great athlete, although nowadays he would be disqualified in a minute by the Amateur Athletic association for handling money, as he once threw a silver dollar across the Potomac river. He was also an honest lad, and when he chopped down a cherry tree and was asked by his angry father about it he replied, "Father, I cannot tell a lie. I did it with my little hatchet." The father was so relieved to find that the boy had not used his expensive imported razor that he embraced him and they lived happily ever after. There are no other famous incidents of truth telling in our history.

Washington became a surveyor and also helped the British army fight the French and Indians. He then married and settled down on his estate to spend a happy life. But he had no children and in order to fill the vacant space in his heart, he decided to adopt his country. This necessitated a great deal of fighting on his part and from 1775 to 1781 he was almost continually occupied in eradicating red coats. He was often defeated and was chased an aggregate of several thousand miles. His soldiers had little to eat and less to wear, and usually ran out of powder about the second round of each battle. If Washington had had the powder that is burned on each Fourth of July nowadays in celebrating his victories, he would have been a happy man and would have become

King of his people and he could have had great honor from Great Britain by refusing to insurge. But he chose to be president of a busted and struggling nation at a small salary and because he seems to have had the habit of thinking of his own interests last, the American people have built him a monument 555 feet high and have named mountains, rivers, states, counties, towns, boulevards and babies after him for over a century. He was tall, grand, gloomy, dignified and wore a powdered wig with a tail to it. But all this was forgiven him long ago. His birthday is observed with increasing devotion each year and he still stands as one of those rare beings who are willing to imperil an income for a principle.

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Good Roads Day For Lee Co. Will Take Place March Second

Amboy, Feb. 22.—The biggest meeting ever held in this part of the state in the interest of good roads is the plan of the Amboy Commercial club for Thursday, March 2. It will be a meeting of the entire county. Supervisors, highway commissioners, town clerks and newspaper men are urged to be present and invitations will be extended to the Commercial clubs of Dixon, Sterling and other cities. The general public is most heartily invited.

The place of meeting is the Amboy opera house.

The program will fill the afternoon and evening.

Hon. Homer J. Tice of Green View, Ill., the father of the "good roads" law now in operation in this state, will be the principal speaker of the day. Hon. James P. Wilson of Polo, S. E.

EGGS VALUED AT OVER \$5,000,000 EACH YEAR

STATE FOOD COMMISSIONER MATTHEWS MADE INTERESTING REPORT TO DUNNE.

NEW LAW IS NOW EFFECTIVE

(Associated Press)

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 22.—In a report to Governor Dunne, made public today, W. Scott Matthews, state food commissioner, said that henceforth the state law against the sale of bad eggs would be enforced.

The law, which was passed by the last general assembly, reads as follows:

"It shall be unlawful to ship, or otherwise dispose of in any kind of a container or in any manner any collection of eggs or any eggs known as 'yolks stuck to the shell,' 'heavy blood rings,' 'partially hatched,' 'moldy eggs,' 'black spots,' 'black rots,' or any other egg of an unwholesome nature unless the same are broken in the shell and then censured so as to render them unfit for human food."

Under this statute the food commissioner holds, any restaurant patron who is served with an egg of the kind described; any housewife who purchases from a grocer "strictly fresh," "selected" or "guaranteed" eggs which are not what they should be can have the offending vender prosecuted.

"Illinois is the second largest egg

producing state, with an annual output valued at \$45,000,000, but there is a yearly loss of \$5,000,000 due to improper handling," said the report.

"No hen ever lays a bad egg" said Mr. Matthews. The slogan of the pure egg campaign to be conducted is: "Candle all eggs," or "swat the rooster and have infertile eggs."

JUNIOR HAS HIGHEST MARK ON Y ALLEYS

HAROLD GLESSNER'S AVERAGE OF 197 IS RECORD OF THE PRESENT TOURNEY

The bowling tourney at the Y. M. C. A. is now a little over half over and Chapman's team is in the lead. The newly organized team of juniors which are playing out the games scheduled for the former Major team, are coming to the front rapidly and are now in second place. This evening the juniors will play a contest with the Roger's team.

Harold Glessner, a member of the junior team, is leading among the players eligible for the silver loving cup offered by the Association for the player under 16 years of age making the highest individual score on the alleys during the month of February. Yesterday in two games rolled Glessner made an average of 197. Among the players on the regular team E. B. Raymond is leading for the month with a high score of 195. Other players will try to wrest the title away from the present leaders.

FEDERAL MIGRATORY BIRD LAW WILL NOT BE ENFORCED IN ILL.

GOVERNMENT AUTHORITIES DECIDED TO PASS UP RESTRICTIONS THIS SPRING.

WILL BRING JOY TO HUNTERS

Bloomington, Ill., Feb. 21.—P. F. Flanagan, deputy game warden for central Illinois, received advice today that federal authorities had decided not to enforce the migratory game bird law, conflicting as it does with the Illinois statute, and that hunters may shoot waterfowl this spring, the same as in years prior to the adoption of the federal statute.

The above item appearing in Saturday's Chicago Tribune, brought pleasure to many a sportsman, who for the past two years has been deprived of all migratory bird shooting or else forced to become a breaker of laws.

The central belt states of the United States, east and west, are the great grain growing part of our country; almost all of the swamp land (the home of our migratory birds, when they are with us) having been drained and reclaimed. Thus in the fall, when the federal law says we may shoot, there are no swamps, so there is no migratory bird shooting then, for 95 per cent of the shooters; only the rich shooting preserve member could partake of this sport that makes for manhood and brings experience that is necessary in the making of good soldiers—something we may need soon for the protection of our homes. In the spring it is different; every old swamp for a time is back to its old time conditions; the birds are with us for a short period and every man, young and old, can indulge in that sport of the kings, a sport as old as man himself.

The different sportsmen's associations over the state have been working hard against this federal law for they saw the injustice of it to our part of the United States. They not only tried to fight it in Washington, D. C., but in our state capitol they had to contend with lobbyists of the eastern capitalist backers of the federal law, who tried to change our state laws to prevent spring shooting here, but this was defeated by presenting to our members of the legislature and senate the true state of conditions and they, voting honestly, according to the majority of the Illinois citizens' wishes, gave us the present fair and just state game law.

There has been so much information and mis-information written regarding this migratory bird law, that many are confused as to its real merit, but to those who have considered it carefully, it seems to benefit mostly the rich club preserve member and the duck.

To keep up the supply of game, migratory and otherwise, our state has the right idea in the game refuge law, certain tracts of land being set aside where the birds may nest in peace and may find there refuge at any and all times. Those who have seen Yellowstone Park know what a supplier of game that is for the surrounding country. Our national government could set aside the great swamp lands in the far north and south of our country (if they do not own them now, purchase them) place competent men in charge to protect the birds—man is only one of the many enemies that the migratory bird has—furnish feed if necessary and in the near and far future there will be more game for our children's children than we now have. This plan is now being tried out by private people and it is proving a success.

Here's hoping that you may have duck on your table soon and for many springs to come.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hoyer have returned to their home in Ackley, Ia., after a visit with Mrs. Hoyer's sister, Mrs. Emma Grant.

Wash Away Skin Sores

To the many sufferers of skin disease D. D. D., the liquid wash, has become a household word. They know it is reliable and they can depend on it, they do not hesitate to recommend it to their neighbors. It has proved itself a remarkable remedy for all forms of Eczema. It is a germicide that is harmless to the most delicate skin, but still it is effective and quick in action. If you are a sufferer from skin diseases, including ulcers, pimples, scales, crust or Eczema in any form, this remedy will not disappoint you. It has stood the test and today is the master preparation for all skin diseases.

Your money back unless the first bottle relieves you. D. D. D. Soap keeps the skin healthy. Ask your druggist about both today.

D. D. D. For 15 Years the Standard Skin Remedy

TILLSON DRUG CO.

Remember Washington

By Robertus Love

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IN these the days of world foment and fret,
When names of mighty captains and of kings
Are blared and blazoned, let us not forget
Our own of old who did heroic things,
With naught of buglings nor of trumpeting,
But just for Duty wrought
And Freedom's battle fought
Where old world greed and new world justice met.

THEY were not millions—scant battalions they
Who pioneered for Liberty and poured
The blood of sacrifice, from day to day
Uppore the flintlock and unsheathed the sword
Against a foolish king's invading horde,
And weary year by year
Fought on without a fear
For Progress hewing out a broader way.

THEY were not driven to the roaring line
By men who sat in council safe and far
With badges on their bosoms as a sign
Of greatness, as today the myriads are,
Under the reek of shells that seam and scar
The earth, but they were led
By men who marched ahead,
Willing to pour their blood as precious wine.

TOO much we prate and babble of the sound
And fury of the fight and make a cult
Of numbers fallen and the wrested ground
Nor reckon shrewdly of the long result.
Our Continentals heaved the catapult
Against an ancient wall
Of tyranny and thrall
And gave Old Monarchy his mortal wound.

THE leader—wise, far-looking, strong, serene,
A man of stalwart mold in bone and brain,
Truly the breathing soul of the machine
That ground the foe as millstones grind the grain
For final salvage and the greater gain—
He still goes marching on,
Unequaled Washington,
Our great First Captain of heroic mien.

ASQUITH ASKS CREDIT VOTE \$2,000,000,000

All European Belligerents Have Spent \$40,000,000,000.

London, Feb. 22.—The government asked the house of commons to vote a new war credit of \$2,000,000,000, which request, the house, in the committee of the whole, promptly complied with.

The voting of these credits, the prime minister stated, will raise England's total war expenditures to about \$8,640,000,000.

According to unofficial estimates all belligerents in the European war have spent since the beginning of hostilities about \$40,000,000,000.

Premier Asquith announced that England's total expenditures for 1915-16 to date were \$6,677,000,000. This statement confirmed recent estimates made by London financiers.

Expenditures for the army and navy and for munitions manufacture and purchase from April 1, 1915, to Feb. 19, 1916, totaled \$3,748,000,000. Premier Asquith stated, Loans to England's allies for that period totaled \$200,000,000.

Blaze in Capital Bureau.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Fire in a rubbish heap in the government bureau of engraving and printing caused a small panic and caused a report of a bomb plot.

BREEDERS PLAN A PROTEST

Oppose Federal Embargo Against Interstate Shipment of Cattle.

Decatur, Ill., Feb. 22.—A special meeting of the Illinois State Live Stock Breeders' association was held in Decatur to protest against the recent federal embargo against the interstate shipment of cattle and swine from the northern two-thirds of the state for purposes other than immediate slaughter.

The entire foot-and-mouth disease quarantine problem was probed. Resolutions were adopted calling upon congress to investigate the alleged irregularities of the federal bureau in favoring the Chicago stock yards at the expense of the Illinois shippers.

DUIS' BOWLERS TOOK SERIES FROM HOBERG

WON THREE STRAIGHT GAMES AT BRUNSWICK ALLEYS MONDAY NIGHT.

Duis' team made a clean sweep in the games played Monday evening in the City Bowling league against the Hoberg team at the Brunswick alleys. In the opening game they rolled a total high score of 926 pins. Capt. Duis rolled the high score of the evening with a total of 244 pins. Out of the six games so far played Duis' men have a total of five won and one lost. The score of last night's game follows:

	Hoberg.		
Lievan	149	136	127
Hoberg	169	165	156
Dominick	146	151	181
Loftus	174	197	152
Root	150	140	170

	768	789	816
Duis	182	180	151
Rosbrook	176	182	244
Boers	193	193	201
Devine	172	123	163
Fallstrom	203	135	138

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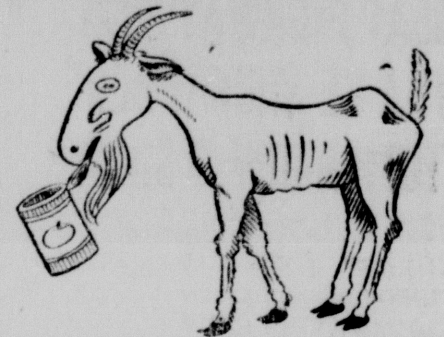
SINKS SIX TURK VESSELS

Submarine, in Sea of Marmora, Causes Constantinople Panic.

London, Feb. 22.—The Salonika correspondent of the Daily Mail, telegraphing under date of Feb. 19, says:

"An allied submarine captured the Dardanelles on Feb. 16, passed through the sea of Marmora and reached Constantinople, where, under the windows of the Sultan's palace, it torpedoed the tug Lerhom, which the Turks had seized at the beginning of hostilities. The submarine also sank six large sailing vessels laden with munitions. The terrific explosions caused panic in the capital."

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SHOULD BE IN PARADISE

Fate Kept Oil-Well Shooter Out When Dynamite Didn't Explode.

Quincy, Ill., Feb. 22.—George Catterlin, oil-well shooter in the Plymouth field, near Quincy, is absolutely sure he should be in paradise.

While he was carrying a big can of nitroglycerin from the magazine to his wagon, he stumbled and fell. The juice did not explode, but Catterlin says it should have.

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Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

CALENDAR EVENTS

FOR COMING WEEK

Tuesday

Rebakah party—Odd Fellows hall

Current Topics club scramble dinner—Miss Lillian Snyder

Wednesday

Kingdom Bend Aid—Mrs. John Gronewald

Mrs. Watts' section M. E. aid—Mrs. H. H. Hagen

Thursday

W. C. O. F.—K. C. hall

Royal Neighbors—Miller hall

W. R. P. C. club—Mrs. Henry Ketchin

Thursday Reading Circle—Mrs. John Sterling

L. L. club—Mrs. R. L. Vest

Friday

M. E. Aid—M. E. church

Mystic Workers—Miller hall

Rebakah meeting—Odd Fellows hall

St. Agnes Guild—Mrs. Harry Roper

Entertained in DeKalb

Mrs. Clarence Bush of DeKalb entertained Miss Wagner of this city over the week end.

Socialist Dance

The Socialists will give their regular Tuesday night dance tonight, at their hall. Slothower's orchestra will furnish the music. All are invited to come and have a good time.

Rebakah Thimble Party

The Rebekahs served tea this afternoon at I. O. O. F. hall to their friends who were asked to bring their needlework. The decorations of the hall were in flags and red flowers in honor of the day. The banquet room, however, was decorated in the lodge colors, pink and green. An impromptu program was furnished by a number of the members.

Entertaining Daughter

Mrs. Henry Woodyatt is entertaining her daughter, Mrs. Mrs. George Watson, of Vancouver, B. C.

M. E. Aid Meeting

The Ladies Aid society of the Methodist church will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 in the Epworth League rooms. All the members are invited to be present.

HAIR COMING OUT?

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Wed Today

Chadwick Standard:—Mrs. C. B. Woy entertained the Junior Thimble club at her home Wednesday with a 12:30 luncheon. The dining room and table were decorated with Valentine novelties, the color scheme being red and white. Great streamers were draped from the center to the corners of the dining room. From the chandelier hung strings of red hearts which were fastened to the corners of the table. A cupid was suspended by invisible wires between two miniature telephone poles. This formed the centerpiece. On the wires birds were perched, each carrying a message, announcing the engagement of Miss Cecile Burket to Oscar Rahm, whose marriage will occur Tuesday in Dixon.

Many congratulations and expressions of good wishes have been showered upon this prominent and worthy couple since the announcement of their wedding date.

Miss Burket has been employed at Humbert & Vugschwerdt's store for several years where she has many hosts of friends by her pleasant and congenial ways. She is popular in social circles and takes an active part in church work. Mr. Rahm is one of our best young men, of exemplary and industrious habits.

Miss Cecile Burket is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Burket of this city and her wedding occurred here at the home of her parents today. Miss Burket has many friends here, also, who will extend their best wishes.

Gave Dinner

Mrs. William Sheeley of Pennsylvania Corners recently entertained at dinner for Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Cunningham a three course dinner was served at 6 o'clock. Pink and white carnations adorned the table. The guests included Mrs. Edward Nettis, Misses Mae and Letta Cunningham, Amy Rosenkrans, Helen Starner, Anna Duffy, Messrs. E. Powell, Wm. Nettis and Clifford Stull.

Honored by Luncheon

Miss Luella Johnson, who was the week end guest of Miss Florence Woodyatt of Sterling, was honored by a 1 o'clock luncheon given by Miss Woodyatt Sunday. A company of 12 were entertained.

S. S. Contest Closes

The contest of the Kingdom Sunday school for a larger membership ended Sunday with an enrollment of 122. The red side, captained by Miss Cordelia Wolfe, won out over the white side which was in charge of Miss Ora Floto. The victorious side will be banqueted by the losers in the near future. It is not intended, however, to drop efforts to increase the size of the Sunday school now that the contest is over. A cordial welcome will be given all new comers and others who join in the Sunday school services, held every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. The church services for the coming Sunday will be held at 2:30 p. m.

L. L. Club

The L. L. Club will meet Thursday with Mrs. R. L. Vest, 113 E. Fourth St.

G. A. R. Circle Meeting

The members of G. A. R. Circle met in regular session, varying from their usual program slightly to honor the birthday of Washington. The service was also commemorative of Lincoln.



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Please, for your sake, get a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store and put your stomach right. Don't keep on being miserable—life is too short—you are not here long, so make your stay agreeable. Eat what you like and digest it; enjoy it, without dread of rebellion in the stomach.

Pape's Diapepsin belongs in your home anyway. Should one of the family eat something which doesn't agree with them, or in case of an attack of indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis or stomach derangement at day time or during the night, it is handy to give the quickest, surest relief known.

The program was conducted by Mr. Marie B. Hetler, patriotic instructor and consisted of an instrumental solo by Mrs. Blanche Bender and interesting sketches of Washington and Lincoln read by Mrs. Petre. Mrs. Rhoda Pister read Lincoln's favorite poem and Lincoln's Gettysburg address was given by Miss Helen Eaton. A talk on Mt. Vernon was given by Mrs. Yates. The circle was later pleased to hear of the work of the Chana, Ill., circle from Mrs. Wrenn, who was a guest of the circle. A luncheon, given in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Mae Cupp, followed.

Postpone Aid

It has been decided that the meeting of Mrs. Rogers' section of the M. E. Aid to have been held tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. Runion will be postponed for the present.

Woodmen Social

The Royal Neighbors and Woodmen will hold a ten cent social, to which all members of both orders are invited, tomorrow evening in Miller hall.

Prepare for Bazar

Mrs. Sadie Bowers of First street will entertain the members of the G. A. R. Circle at her home Thursday at the regular weekly sewing of the circle in preparation for the bazaar. The bazar will begin Saturday evening and continue through the week until 4th. Booths of candies, aprons and rugs will be there. The Marquette and Slothower orchestras will furnish the music for the dancing to be held at Rosbrook's hall in connection with the bazar every evening.

To Marry

The announcement of the approaching marriage of Thomas Conroy and Miss Mamie Brophy of Hahne mann was made Sunday in the reading of their marriage banns at the Tampico Catholic church.

EXPLAINS WHY MEN ARE GROWING BALD

Thousands of men are growing bald every day and don't know the reason why. Many of them never expect to save even what hair is left.

This is indeed a pity, says a specialist because baldness usually comes from carelessness and anyone who gives the scalp a little attention should always have an abundance of good healthy hair. Dust and dirt help to cause baldness by clogging the pores in the scalp and giving the dandruff germs fertile grounds for breeding.

The treatment is very simple: Shampoo at least once in ten days and destroy the dandruff germs by applying frequently Parisian Sage, a delightfully efficient preparation that Rowland Bros. are now recommending as the surest treatment to stop falling hair, to remove dandruff and to refresh and invigorate the hair roots.

The cost of a generous bottle of Parisian Sage is very little and druggists everywhere have been authorized to offer it with guarantee of perfect satisfaction or money refunded.

With Mrs. Lievan
Mrs. Elliott's section of the M. E. Ladies Aid society will be entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lievan, 815 Peoria Ave. All members are invited.

With Miss Hunter
The Daughters of the Covenant of the Presbyterian church will be entertained this evening by Miss Erna Hunter at her home on Third street.

P. E. O. Meeting
Mrs. W. F. Strong and daughter, Mrs. Edward Coe, delightfully entertained the members of Chapter A C. Illinois P. E. O. at their home yesterday afternoon. A paper on government schools was given by Mrs. Alfred Leland and Jack London's "Call of the Wild," was interestingly reviewed by Mrs. Abner Barlow. A luncheon was served following the program. Mrs. Abner Barlow will be hostess at the next meeting.

Rahn-Burket Wedding
At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon P. Burket, 705 N. Galena avenue, occurred at noon today the marriage of their daughter, Laura Cecile, to Oscar H. Rahn of Chadwick, Ill. Rev. A. D. Shafer of Chadwick, read the service in the presence of a company of forty relatives and friends. The bride couple were attended by two flower bearers, a niece of the bride, Elizabeth Brandt of Chadwick, and the groom's niece, Leonora Rahn, also of Chadwick. Willis Good, a nephew of the bride, and the son of Mrs. God of this city carried the ring.

The wedding was a symphony in pink and white. Underneath a canopy of pink and white crepe paper festoons culminating in a large white wedding bell with smilex intertwined, the ceremony took place. The bride's attire was a gown of white crepe de chine with trimmings of point lace and pearls. Her only jewelry was a diamond set La Valliere, the groom's gift. Bride's roses and orchids, arranged in a handsome shower bouquet, were carried by the bride. The flower maidens, carrying baskets of pink and white blossoms, were costumed in white and pink. The ring bearer, in a white suit, carried the ring in the heart of a lily. Pink valances were used over all the windows, which were further draped in smilex.

A luncheon was served the bridal party and guests shortly after the ceremony. Two long tables had been arranged, and there too the pink and white color scheme had been beautifully carried out. From chandeliers at the corners of the tables the festooning was draped. The centerpiece was crystal vases carrying white narcissus blossoms while pink candles in crystal holders were arranged on the table. At the end of the table a dove alight on an arch further adorned with pink and white tulle marked the places of the bride and groom. The place cards for the guests bore the designs of birds with some saying suited to the occasion, and were tied with pink ribbons. The auts were served in pink and white heart shaped receptacles. The three course luncheon in many of the delicacies, also carried out the chosen colors. Mrs. Good, the bride's sister served the luncheon, assisted by Mrs. H. E. Senneff, Mrs. Edward Winders, and Misses Lina Miller and Ada Brink of this city, and Miss Ruth Senneff, a cousin of the bride's from Chadwick.

The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. George Weber and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rahn and two children, Mr. and Mrs. William Rahn, and four children, Miss Kathryn Rahn, Mrs. H. B. Senneff and daughter Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woy, and Mrs. Mary Woy, all of Chadwick. Mr. and Mrs. Rahn will spend their honeymoon with Chicago relatives. They will be at home after the first of March in Chadwick, Ill., where the groom is a painter and decorator. Mrs. Rahn has been a resident of Chadwick for the past seven years, where she was engaged in clerking in one of the largest stores, and has hosts of friends who will welcome her back into their midst. Mr. Rahn is an excellent young man. Many friends of Mrs. Rahn's girlhood, which was spent in Dixon, as well as the friends she has made up on her frequent visits to her parents, unite in warmest good wishes and congratulations to the bridal pair.

Community Club Dance

The Community club of Gap Grove will give another of its enjoyable dances Thursday evening. A number of Dixon people have received invitations.

Thursday Reading Circle

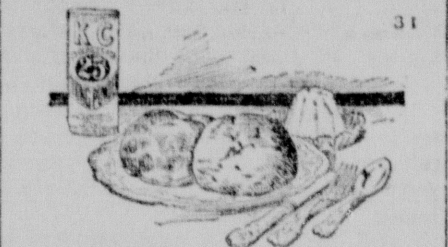
The Thursday Reading Circle will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. John Sterling. Members are to note change of place. The program will consist of three papers: The Coast of the Caspian, Miss Bess Decker; Protecting the Art of Venice, Mrs. Lee Read; The Flight of Poland, Mrs. Lydia Parks. Music will be furnished by Mrs. Harns and Miss Mary Hintz.

New Way to Make Apple Dumplings

Served With Hard Sauce or Cream and Sugar

By Mrs. Janet McKenzie Hill, Editor of the Boston Cooking School Magazine

Here is a new way to make apple dumplings that will surely please every housewife, for it is not necessary to have whole apples, and the juice cannot run out and burn as with apple dumplings where the apple is placed in the center and the dough turned up around it. The biscuit part forms a crispy shell that holds the apples and juice.



One and one-half cups sifted flour; 1/2 cup cold butter, 3 level teaspoonsful K. C. Baking Powder; 1/4 cup shortening; about 1/2 cup milk; apples.

Fill the cups of a buttered muffin pan with pured and sliced apples, sprinkle with salt and turn two or three table-spoonfuls of water into each cup. Sift together, three times, the flour, salt and baking powder; work in the shortening, and mix to a soft dough with the milk. Drop the dough from a spoon with the apples in the cups, giving it a smooth exterior. Let bake about twenty-five minutes. Invert the pan on a large serving-dish. Put a spoonful of hard sauce above the apple in each dumpling and finish with a grating of nutmeg.

This is one of the many new, delicious and appetizing recipes contained in the K. C. Cook's Book, which may be obtained free by sending the colored certificate packed in every 25-cent can of K. C. Baking Powder to the J. C. Benson Co., Chicago. Be sure to get the 25-cent size—smaller cans do not contain Cook's Book certificate.

Given Surprise

Members of the Dixon lodge, I. O. O. F., were given a pleasant surprise last evening after their regular meeting when a member of the Past Noble Grands club tapped on their door and invited them to the Rebekah club rooms where a lunch had been prepared. The lunch was fully appreciated by the men, and a pleasant social evening followed its serving.



Recently a furnisher and decorator was called upon to criticize a room that had been redecorated and refurbished. It was a sitting room in the home of a trim middle aged woman. Everything in the room was neatness personified. The furniture was good, the rugs well chosen, the draperies and wall paper correct. Yet there seemed to be something wrong about that room.

The housewife felt it, but it took several minutes' puzzling before the expert realized that what gave to the place its suggestion of stiffness so closely approaching real discomfort was that it totally lacked perquisites. It had the deadliness of a room that is never actually lived in. It was entirely lacking in personal touch. There was nothing to bespeak the taste, habits or character of her who dwelt in it. If it had only had a cushion among the others that looked as though it might have been worked by the fingers of a friend—if there had been a rack of magazines or a table with some favorite book open face down upon it—if there had been a musical instrument or a set of golf sticks in the corner or a bit of sewing or even a bird or a box of ferns—some spirit might have breathed into it.

But as it was, in spite of the fact that it was faultlessly as well as expensively furnished, it was as lifeless as a wax lay figure well coiffed and Paris gowned smiling a stucco smile from behind the plate glass of some store show window.

Among the extras that are most desirable adjuncts to a sense of comfort at the home are a variety of small tables. Hardly can a room be cheerfully settled without at least one small table in it. It may be a little reading table at the head of the bed or a teakwood stand near the window, a card table or one to write on.

Of all the small tables put on the market this year none can equal in general utility as well as seamlessness the combination table tea wagon.

The new type has a top tray, with a good sized drawer beneath it. In the center is a shelf, so that papers and magazines ordinarily kept on top may be hurriedly cleared off, and lower down is still another case in shelf.

Sooner or later some enterprising manufacturer will make such a table with a drop leaf at either side. With such an adjustment a table of this sort could be hidden with hot dishes in the kitchen and wheeled into the living room. The leaves being set up would enlarge it sufficiently for two or four persons to dine at it comfortably.



SLEEP AND REST

To the tired weary body rest means very much indeed, sleep without rest is not conducive to health, and while you can sleep on a hard uneven mattress you cannot rest your body as you do when sleeping on the Wonderful "Dixie" Compartment Mattress, the "Dixie" therefore means "rest and sleep," it means comfort and service for years and years. The "Dixie" Compartment Mattress is very easily brushed to keep free from dust—it will not spread, it will not lump, it is soft and resilient, in short, the "Dixie" Mattress is different—It's Better. It's within price reach of all. Come and see "Dixie" Mattresses at our store.

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Photo by American Press Association.

NEW BILL FOR ARMY INCREASE AGREED ON

House Committee Favors Federalizing the Militia.

Washington, Feb. 22.—A new army reorganization bill, federalizing the National Guard, increasing the regular army to 134,000 men, doubling the field artillery, increasing the engineers' corps by fifteen companies, creating four squadrons of air craft and an entirely new corps of cadets from colleges having military training, was agreed upon tentatively by the house military committee.

The National Guard provisions will be one of the most notable features. The committee agreed that congress has the constitutional right to take over the National Guard by legislative enactment and appropriation.

The provision for a corps of cadet officers from educational institutions having military training is expected to furnish 3,000 trained officers for use in emergency.

The McKellar bill providing federal cooperation in military training in the states also was voted favorably reported. It proposed government aid for one school in each state where a minimum of 200 students will receive military instruction.

BACHELORS OF 19 CALLED

England Will Muster Recruits of Class One Under New Act.

London, Feb. 22.—A royal proclamation has been posted calling to the colors the recruits of class one under the military service act. They are to report before March 31.

The class mentioned comprises the youngest of the recruits available. They are the bachelors who had attained the age of eighteen on Aug. 15, 1915. It is believed that the majority of them have attained nineteen years and have thus become eligible for military service. This summons completes the calling up of the single men.

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Teeth have they, but they chew not—saws.
Noses have they, but they smell not—teapots.
Mouths have they, but they taste not—rivers.
Hands have they, but they handle not—clocks.
Ears have they, but they hear not—cornstalks.
Tongues have they, but they talk not—wagons.

The Cat's Tongue.

A cat can quickly empty a saucer of milk because at every swift dart of her flexible little tongue the tip of it curls up as it enters the fluid and draws it back into her mouth. Her rough barbed tongue, like a little file, enables her to get every particle of food from a bone by licking it. It answers for a wash rag, too, with which to make her long and elaborate toilet.

How To Make the Quickest, Simplest Cough Remedy

Much Better than the Ready-Made Kind and You Save \$2. Fully Guaranteed

This home-made cough syrup is now used in more homes than any other cough remedy. Its promptness, ease and certainty in conquering distressing coughs, chest and throat colds, is really remarkable. You can actually feel it take hold. A day's use will usually overcome the ordinary cough—relieves even whooping cough quickly. Splendid, too, for bronchitis, spasmodic croup, bronchial asthma and winter coughs.

Get from any druggist 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex (50 cents worth), pour it in a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup. This gives you—at a cost of only 51 cents—a full pint of better cough syrup than you could buy for \$2.50. Takes but a few minutes to prepare. Full directions with Pinex. Tastes good and never spoils.

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FREE SUGAR.

The democrats have made their first public confession that the much-lauded Underwood-Simmons tariff law is a blunder. They have decided in caucus to repeal that clause in the tariff which places sugar on the free list May 1. The duty on sugar will be continued.

The \$40,000,000 a year that the sugar tax yields is too badly needed by the government to permit it to stop; but it is most unfortunate for the democrats that they should be compelled to alter their stand on this particular tax. In the "Democratic Text Book of 1914" issued by the Democratic National and Congressional committees, they were eloquent in their praise of free sugar. They said:

"The sugar lobby has been well organized and busily employed not only in Washington but all through the country for almost a generation before the full details of its methods and accomplishments were exposed. In fact, through all the years in which the Democratic party had been struggling to lift the incubus of the sugar tariff from the backs of the American people, the Republican party had permitted the powerful sugar lobby to dominate it, and thus control the machinery of legislation and Government to the vast benefit of the sugar interests.

"No serious dent was ever made in the armor of sugar until the Democrats secured control of the Government in 1913 and ended the long struggle by passing the present tariff act, assuring the people the benefit of free sugar and removing a taxation burden of upward of \$50,000,000 a year from their shoulders."

These words the Democrats will have to eat. Their sudden shift from free sugar to protected sugar is indicative of their change of attitude on the whole tariff question. Out of office, the Democratic party was for a tariff for revenue only. In office, it is compelled to acknowledge that American industries must have some protection. They are now trying to justify this change of attitude on the abnormal conditions produced by the war. They have stolen the republican idea of a tariff commission in order that they might obtain a judicial body which could justify the tariff changes which they already know must soon be made.

THE WRIST WATCH.

The man who wears a wrist watch is coming in for a big share of popular satire.

As usual, most of us object to a new idea.

We don't like the wrist watch simply because we don't understand it. It is, however, of military and therefore of honorable origin. It was worn by men before it was worn by women. It was invented in foreign barracks long before the war broke out.

The watch is the only superfluous piece of property which the soldiers in the foreign army are permitted to own. And in order to maintain the ownership of this most coveted article, the soldiers strap them to their wrists when they sleep. And, of course, their sweethearts borrow them, just as girls over here borrow seal rings and sweaters.

The man who wears a wrist watch is following a purely masculine fashion, and one which fulfills a real need.

It's the newness of the notion which makes Americans laugh.

Novelty, things or ideas which are "queer," are sure to arouse ridicule in some quarters.

"Preparedness" is a new idea to a great many people. Some laugh at it as carelessly as they laugh at a man wearing a wrist watch—just because they do not understand. And the worst of it is that they never take any pains to understand.

But ridicule is often the most dangerous weapon that can be used against a reform.

That is why the serious-minded and the well-informed must keep hammering away with their preparedness preachments until the notion ceases to be a novelty.—Aurora Beacon News.

THE WIFE'S WAGE.

The cheapest paid labor in the world may be that of the wife of the average American working man, as a Kansas City labor organizer asserted in a recent speech in Topeka, but these women have not as yet devoted much attention as yet to organizing a union or threatening a strike. The wife of the average American working man gets as large personal return from the family income as does the husband, and not a few of them get a larger one. And in most instances, it's to be doubted if her work is any more exacting or onerous than is that of the man whose humble portion she shares.—Topeka State Journal.

SPRING FEVER EPIDEMIC THREATENS.

Say, you Dixon golf members, get our your old sticks and shine 'em up, or be looking about for some new ones. This kind of weather makes one think of all kinds of light and frivolous things, such as golf and wild ducks and straw hats and deviled eggs and paper napkins and bvd's and fishing tackle and a lot of silly things that don't go very far toward paying the winter's coal bill, but gosh how they do clutter up your brain on days like these.

CURRENT COMMENT

TRULY PATRIOTIC—ARE WE.

Why is it that nine times out of ten a Dixon audience does not rise when "The Star Spangled Banner" is played? It is our national song and in some sections of the United States, standing? Surely the people of Dixon as the first note of the song is played. Consequently in those sections you never find an audience that does not rise instantly when "The Star Spangled Banner" is played and they rise with spirit and without half the audience whispering, "Why are they standing?" Surely the people of Dixon are just as patriotic as other people so it is ignorance, carelessness, or laziness that is the cause of such neglect, and it should be remedied.—Contributed.

Comment.—The observance of terms usually result from teaching, and the custom is not such an old one, so perhaps an excuse may be found on that score. We all know that the heart of Dixon is all right, patriotically. But it is a pretty custom and should be observed. We do sort of straggle.

Springfield News-Record: Our national existence depends upon the goldfish.

No less a person than President Lloyd of the National Aquarium Society of America says so.

No home is complete without gold

Daddy's Bedtime

Orion, the Hunter
Story of the
Winter Skies.



Daddy Pointed Orion Out to Them.

WHEN the Goddess Diana took her brother's dare to send an arrow through the black thing in the sea and when this turned out to be her lover, Orion, and when his dead body came floating to her on the waves," daddy told his children a Greek legend, "Diana was sick with grief, but all her weeping could not bring back life to her dead hunter. So guess what she did to glorify him?"

"Buried him beautifully in seaweed," Evelyn tried.

"Diana placed him among the stars in the sky, a giant with three stars in his belt, three in his sword, one big one on his shoulder and another on the tail of his lion's skin that he wraps himself in. His favorite dog, Sirius, she put in the sky, too, so he would not be lonely, and the seven sisters, the Pleiades, fleeing before him."

"Oh, daddy, if we went outdoors now could we see Orion in the sky?"

"Now is just the time of the whole year when his stars are most brilliant and wonderful. Would you like to scamper into your coats and mittens and go out on the porch with me to find him?"

Jack and Evelyn dashed off so not to waste a minute and, all muffled up to their eyes, took daddy's hand while he led them out into the beautiful, cold winter night. So they stood gazing south till daddy pointed out Orion to them, with the stars in his belt gleaming like diamonds. Then they dashed back to daddy's armchair.

"You may wonder what the Pleiades have to do with Orion in the sky. On earth they were wood nymphs who joined the hunting train of Diana. When she went tearing through the woods like a young deer they used to follow her. Well, when Orion saw them he fell in love with them and chased them. In their fright they prayed Father Jupiter to change their form so that Orion could not see them. Pitying them, Jupiter turned them into seven pigeons and placed them in the sky as stars.

"Now, here is another interesting thing about these sisters. Although there used to be seven, we now can see but six, because Electra left her starry place in the skies rather than have to look down on the ruin of Troy, which was founded by her son. The sight of the fall of their beloved city made the six sisters so ill that even now they are very pale. But the giant hunter Orion still glows from the high place his ladylove put him in, and as long as you live every glorious starry winter night you two children can see him posing in the southern sky."

"Oh, daddy, what a nice story!" cried Evelyn. "Here are two kisses."

fish, and the home is the cornerstone of society and society keeps the nation intact, so there you are.

Goldfish in the home make life worth living, we are informed.

The tired business man comes home ready to quarrel with his wife and fuse at the children. His nerves are all unstrung.

His wife leads him gently to the family aquarium, sets him down in front of it, gives him a cigar and leaves him to enjoy the soothing flopping of the fish in the water. Soon he has forgotten his troubles, and perhaps is composing a poem beginning, "Oh, that I were a little goldfish."

If there is no aquarium in the home we shudder to think of what happens when the tired business man arrives from his office.

Rockford-Gazette: Swedish-American Republicans of Rockford will take the preliminary steps at a meeting at Ludberg hall Thursday evening toward taking an active and influential part in the political campaign of the coming year. The Swedish people are ready to take a position in the forefront of the Republican column in the approaching battle, standing for the principles which have always brought peace and prosperity to this nation.

Rockford Star: Freeport has a start on Rockford in one thing. It is making the jail birds work. Not in a spirit of vengeance, but rather in compassion, anything would be better for a man than in sitting in our county jail.

Indianapolis News: That leave-to-profit graft may get Congressional Record in bad some day for misbranding. Of course, those speeches are not food—not even for thought, but they are surely drugs on the market.

Mt. Pulaski Times: Somebody has invented an alarm that will ring when rain comes in at an open window at night. Now the crying need is for an alarm that will ring whenever the baby kicks off the covers.

Moline Dispatch: Europe's war is hitting us in another soft spot. It has put up the price of quinine. At the breaking out of the war it sold for 20 cents an ounce. This was not the retail price, dear reader, at the drugstore—it was the wholesale cost of it. Last January it had advanced to 40 cents; now it is \$1.50 ounce wholesale. That is seven and a half times what it was when the war broke out. There is one comfort for the malarial—the retail price hasn't been increased this same 750 per cent.

Dwight Star and Herald: Most every paper in the country has taken up the question of junkets. The said junkets cost the state more than the legislature, considering the size of committees. We believe there are members of both houses who scheme to keep themselves at work during vacation. There are committees to investigate this and that. The time of the committees is often extended indefinitely, but they meet regularly and draw their expenses. The recent disgraceful proceedings in Illinois under the guise of helping the working women capped the climax. No one has yet presented a plan to get the people's money that would come within four blocks of that committee. Of course there are some good committees, etc., but all others should be scrapped.

City In Brief

"Dress up" your old books, or let us bind your favorite magazines. All work guaranteed, Dixon Blank Book Co., 118 E. First St. 441

J. P. Brechon of South Dixon was a Dixon business caller Monday.

William Bardwell, E. Second street, is agent for the Saturday Evening Post. Drop him a card or telephone 303, if you wish to become a subscriber. 24tf

Mrs. Jose Allen and son James have returned from Aurora where Mrs. Allen has been with her son John who had been operated upon three weeks ago. He is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Nettie Scott, Spirella corsetiere, is in town prepared to take orders for corsets in the latest spring models. Phone 329. 374tf

Mrs. R. R. Hess spent the day in Chicago purchasing goods for her millinery store.

H. G. Reynolds went to Chicago today on business.

Mrs. John Duffy went to Chicago today to spend a few days.

Fred and William Hoerner of Mendota were here yesterday on business at the court house.

F. H. Kerr of Galena was here on business Monday.

Attorney Charles F. Preston of Pawpaw was here yesterday on court business.

When in need of a new set of bookkeeping books try the Dixon Blank Book Co. 441

Mrs. G. L. Upham left yesterday for her home in New York City after a visit here with her mother, Mrs. S. C. Eells.

Henry Hemmen of Ft. Dodge, Ia., has returned home after a visit in Dixon with his brother, Fred Hemmen, men. of Fort. Dodge, Ia., has returned home after a visit in Dixon with his brother, Fred Hemmen.

Mrs. J. E. Brierton and little son, Kenneth returned last evening to this city after a visit in Sterling and Rock Falls.

Raymond McGowan went to De Kalb this morning on a commercial trip.

Fred Overstreet is home from a business trip to Hoopeson, Paxton and Chicago.

Emil Presler of Marion township was in the city today. He is preparing to move to Canby, Minn., where he has recently purchased land.

States Attorney Harry Edwards and Sheriff R. R. Phillips were in Ash boy today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hoyer and son Howard, of Ackley, Ia., and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Uhlmann of Davenport have returned to their homes after a ten day visit in Dixon.

Miss Edna Nowell was called to Me Cook, Neb., by the illness of her sister, Mrs. John Morris.

Dr. E. A. Sickels went to LaSalle today to perform an operation at St. Mary's hospital.

Wm. Dachner and Wm. Wachtel went to Sterling today to attend the farm sale of Guy Jacobson.

THE POPULAR TRICORN.

Modish and Durable, This Model Suits the Business Girl.

With a brown worsted suit and a beaver tippet goes this brown velvet



A TRIUMPH.

tricorn, across one side of which fly two fur sparrows. Simple in outline, becoming to almost any face and made of good materials, such a hat speaks for itself.

Child Hygiene For January.

Anxious mothers often err in one of two ways in looking after the physical wants of young children. They either line the medicine chest with gargles, castor oil, cathartics and dope for colic or they neglect the child's needs entirely. Physicians are recommending mothers to get further away from using the old time honored medicine chest. They should take the suggestion offered by the Chinese physicians, who make it their business to keep their patients well.

If you are a rational mother you will give your child a wholesome and balanced diet. This means plenty of milk and fresh eggs and a good portion of fresh vegetables and fruit. Meat once a day for young children, but they need it that often to make blood and strength. One of the simplest ways of keeping children well is to give them plenty of fruit and water.

THIS DAY IN ILLINOIS HISTORY

Feb. 22—The state library was established by an act appropriating \$5,000 for the purchase of books.

For the Children

A Doll Fruit Vender at Soldiers' Toyland.



Such a varied and unique display of dolls and toys probably has never before been seen in this country as that on exhibition in New York city. It is held under the auspices of the Lafayette fund, and the proceeds are to be sent to France for the benefit of the war sufferers. Many French artists have contributed their best skill to the exhibition and have produced some charming pictures. Besides the thousands of individual dolls, there are historic scenes and representations of French everyday life all worked out with dolls in correct costumes and settings. One scene, a portion of which is here illustrated, is an exact reproduction of a French market in miniature. In the picture is shown a fruit and vegetable seller. On the stand in front of her are displayed her wares, each perfect to the last detail. At the front of the table resting on the ground is a bag of tiny potatoes, each one saved from wood by painstaking hands, a replica, except in size, of the homely tuber.

"Latest News."

The game of "latest news" is very interesting and will create roars of laughter.

Each player chooses a trade or profession. Then one is supplied with a newspaper, from which she is requested to read aloud some item of news. Whenever she pauses and looks at one of the players that player must at once supply a remark in keeping with her trade. The effect will be something like this:

"The annual sale off"—here the reader looks at the pork butcher, who answers, "Sausages"—"was held in the"—"Dark room," answers the photographer, to whom the reader looks.

"The opening ceremony was performed by the Rev."—"Soft soap," remarks the grocer upon catching the reader's eye. And so the game goes on.

"Fire on the Mountain."

In this game there are two rings of players, one outside the other. The players forming the inner ring sit down, and those in the outer ring stand close behind them, though there should be a good wide space between the two rings. A single player stands in the center and presently calls out: "Fire on the mountain! Run, run, run!" Those on the outside then gallop round as fast as they can, the rest sitting still, and the running is continued till the one in the center cries "Stop."

Then everybody, including the single player, tries to find a place behind one of the inner ring, and the boy or girl who is left out must take his or her turn in the center.

If you are looking for a large, light, modern office room, you will Enquire Evening Telegraph office, find them in the Telegraph building.

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Here's a cold cream just a little bit better than the other's best. In other words, it is the leading cold cream of this locality. Soft, snowy white, creamy consistency, delightfully odored, the very finest skin cleanser and skin beautifier, and skin food.

Sterling's Pharmacy

ASK BRITAIN FOR MAIL CASE REPLY

U. S. Controversy Over Seizures in Acute Stage.

PROMPT SETTLEMENT WANTED

So Far Washington Has Had No Answer to Notes to London on Subject—Taking of Germans Off U. S. Steamer China in Asiatic Waters Rouses Ire.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Secretary of State Lansing announced in effect that the United States has asked Great Britain to answer forthwith this government's protest against her seizure of American mails in violation of The Hague rules and international law.

Ambassador Page, it was said, has been instructed also to get an answer on the protest of the United States against the application of the British "trading with the enemy act" as affecting the freedom of trade between the two countries.

Taking Off Germans Rouses Ire. The forcible taking of German citizens from the American ship China in Asiatic waters, and a new message to the department from Ambassador Page indicating that trade with the United States in many articles can be conducted only under "special licenses" from the British government have added greatly to the irritation in administration circles against Great Britain.

Demands to be "Forcible." It was disclosed that Ambassador Page is instructed to make a vigorous and "forcible" demand on the British foreign office to expedite the long delayed reply to the protest on the mails. His original instructions on this matter were that he should press vigorously for prompt action. This government, it is understood, has been disturbed by news that Great Britain has answered Holland in a most arbitrary manner, stating that seizures of mails are justifiable under her order in council.

The United States denies flatly this assumed right of Great Britain.

New Data Received. Another official said that it was manifest now that the recent visit here of the United States minister to Holland, Dr. Henry Van Dyke, has enabled his government to make the new representations to Great Britain.

RADIO GREETING TO NATION

Wireless Men Show Quick Way of Arousing Country in Crisis.

Rock Island, Ill., Feb. 22.—Rock Island arsenal was the center of a demonstration to convince the nation of the radio preparedness of the country's 25,000 licensed wireless operators.

A message was flashed from this point in keeping with the spirit of the following day, the anniversary of the birth of George Washington to governors of every state and the mayors of larger cities, and it was read publicly at Mt. Vernon, and Lexington, Mass. The demonstration was to show the efficiency of wireless to arouse the country in time of crisis.

Closing Out Sale

Commencing, Monday, Feb. 21

Going Out of Business on account of Poor Health.

Entire Stock Must Be Sold in 10 Days

Prices slaughtered for quick selling. Now is the time to supply yourself with good shoes cheap.

Sale in charge of Jas. and John Ford.

STORE OPEN EVENINGS DURING SALE.

D. A. FORD

110 E. FIRST ST.

DIXON, ILLINOIS

Dramatic
Notes

PRINCESS THEATRE

Tonight the Princess will show a wonderful three reel American feature entitled "Double Crossed" with Thomas Chatterton and Anna Little in the leading roles—a thrilling drama of the plains, wonderfully portrayed by an all star cast of American players, including Chatterton, one of the foremost of screen favorites. The story is one which will interest everyone and it is handled in a way which is extremely startling. The comedy for the evening is a Vogue, entitled "A Bum Steer" with Russel Powell in the leading role—a most uproarious farce.

Tomorrow night a two reel Keystone comedy entitled "The Little Messenger Boy" will be shown with Ford Sterling in the lead role.

FAMILY THEATRE.

"The Siren's Song" will be the film feature at the Family theatre this evening.

This film can easily be recommended as a masterpiece. It has in it many scenes that are hair-raising, the most prominent of which is the fight on an ocean steamer, at the climax of which the villain throws the hero from the deck, falling for a distance of over 75 feet into the ocean.

The wrecking of a bank by duped depositors is another strong scene that equals the mob scene that made such a tremendous hit in "The Pit." It is at this point of the story where the love element which is one of rural simplicity and appealing to all, starts its entwinning way to the finish. The vaudeville is very good.

OPERA HOUSE

The opera house tonight will present an especially selected program of photoplays supreme. The following features will be shown: "The Honor to Die," a powerful drama of love and war, in 3 parts, featuring America's famous actress, Rita Jolivet in the leading role, "Sammie Johnson, Hunter," comedy. Animated drawings by the famous Sullivan and "The Mayor's Decision," a sensational drama in 3 parts, featuring Wm. C. Donlan and Gloria Fonda.

"A PAIR OF SILK STOCKINGS" AT THE PRINCESS THEATRE, CHICAGO.

The Princess theatre is having for its current attraction, "A Pair of Silk Stockings," one of the brightest and most refreshing comedies that has been seen in Chicago in many seasons.

No play in recent years has received from the reviewers such unstinted praise and they have advised those that love a play perfectly acted and perfectly presented, to journey to the Clark street playhouse to see this delicious bit of farce that is playing to capacity business.

The story of the play has to do with English gentlemen and the author has set his play in one of their country houses where a week end party is being held.

Sam Thornhill and his wife have disagreed over the make of automobile that is to be purchased and become divorced, neither one of them is quite satisfied and both are looking for an opportunity for a reconciliation.

Sam has been invited down to spend the week end and is trying to drown his sorrows with innumerable brandies and sodas, when his wife, Molly, who has come down by train—but tells the hostess that her automobile has broken down, and that she must be "put up"—appears on the scene. Molly, before marrying Sam has had a love affair with a dashing young army officer who also appears on the scene, in fact is found in her bedroom late at night much to the discomfort of the host and hostess, and also that of her husband, who has been dragged out of her wardrobe, he is mistaken for a burglar as he is in theatrical make-up thoroughly disguised.

Sam is thrown into his wife's bath room, but when they come to look for him to straighten out the tangle, he is missing.

There are many ludicrous and funny situations, but while they lead up very close, the bounds of propriety are never overstepped, which is due to the skill of the dramatist, player and producer.

The cast is headed by Sam Sothorn, who has no superior as a comedian. Eva Leonard-Boyne is his leading woman who is so cheerfully remembered for her characterization in "Fanny's First Play." Others in the cast are Alison Skipworth, Lillian Campbell, Gladys Knorr, Sybil Carlisle P. Clayton Green, Edward Douglas Wallace Erskine and others.

WILL GIVE ANOTHER
COURSE NEXT WINTERTHE REDPATH ENTERTAINMENTS
HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFUL
IN DIXON.

The opera house was filled Monday evening for the lecture by Tahan, the half-breed Osage Indian, on "Things I Saw and Did as a Savage." The address was intensely interesting in which he threw light on characters and traditions of the Indian from the standpoint of personal knowledge.

The next number in the course of Redpath entertainments will be held Monday evening, Feb. 28, at the opera house, when Arthur E. Bestor, director of the Chautauqua Institution of New York will deliver his lecture on "Dominant Personalities in the Great War." The other four numbers in the course will be given during March and their dates follow: On March 6, Wm. Owens & Co. in "The Servant in the House"; March 10, Dr. Parks Cadman; March 13, the Kellogg-Haines Singing Party, and the final number on March 31, Weather-Wax Bros. Male Quartet.

The committee in charge of the entertainment course expects to meet a member of the Redpath Bureau in the next two weeks to arrange for another course to be given in this city next winter, under the same plan as the present course.

FIVE YEAR GUARANTEE.

Paint, \$1.25 gallon; Alabastine, Muresco. Everything for your house-cleaning, at Prescott & Schildberg's. 44tf

Peking, Feb. 22—Rebels yesterday attacked the governor's mansion at Changda, capital of the province of Hunan. The attack was repulsed and many were captured, their leader being executed.

George Floto was here today from the Kingdom.

Miss Marcia McWethy was here today from the Kingdom doing some shopping.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all who so kindly assisted us and remembered us with floral tributes at the time of the death of Henry Shufflin.

Mrs. Delia Shufflin
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Weaver.

NO CHICAGO MARKETS TODAY

Chicago Board of Trade Closed for Washington's Birthday.

Owing to the fact that today is Washington's birthday observed as a legal holiday by all stock exchange organizations, the Chicago board of trade was closed today and accordingly there were no telegraphic market quotations.

POLITICAL LEADER SHOT
(Associated Press)

Chicago, Feb. 22—While proposing a toast in his saloon last night to two men, Frank Lombardi, a political leader, was shot and killed by one of them, the result of a political feud. Both men escaped.

MOOSE SPECIAL CAR.

A large number of Dixon Moose have planned to go to Sterling this evening to attend the Moose fair in progress this week. A special car has been engaged to leave the bank corner at 8:05 and members who expect to go are asked to meet at the hall at 7:45 o'clock.

GUTHRIE SUES DREW
FOR \$15,000 DAMAGE

"MALICIOUS PROSECUTION" ALLEGED BASIS FOR SUIT FILED IN CIRCUIT COURT.

As an aftermath of the case called on Monday in W. G. Kent's court in which Wm. Dykeman and Mahlon Guthrie were charged with disorderly conduct, a damage suit for \$15,000 was started today in the circuit court against Wm. D. Drew by Guthrie on the grounds of malicious prosecution.

Only the praecipe was filed in the case today and hence the extent of the charge is not known. There is quite an array of attorneys of the city who appear for the complainant, among the number being Grover Gehant, H. A. Brooks, W. H. Winn, Dixon & Dixon and M. J. Gannon.

MILLIONAIRE DEAD.

(Associated Press)
Pueblo, Col., Feb. 22—Mahlon Thatcher, local banker, is dead. His estate is valued at from 10 to 20 millions.

MRS. GEO. TOWNSLEY
DIED DURING NIGHT

PASSED AWAY AT HOSPITAL—FUNERAL AT MOTHER'S HOME THURSDAY P. M.

Mrs. Lillian Townsley, wife of George Townsley of this city, passed away at the hospital this morning at 12:30 o'clock after an illness since New Year's, death being due to a complication of diseases. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her mother, Mrs. Amelia Bott, 811 College avenue, and at 2:30 o'clock from St. Paul's Lutheran church.

Lillian Bott was born in Dixon on December 26, 1886. She attended the public school in this city and was united in marriage July 15 of last year to George Townsley. Beside her husband she is survived by her mother, Mrs. Amelia Bott, and five brothers. They are: Henry, Charles and John, all of Dixon; Gus, of Freeport, and Edward, Eagle Pass, Texas. Her father, Fred A. Bott, preceded her in death three years ago last June.

FORMER DIXON LADY
DIED IN COLORADO

MRS. E. J. SHOEMAKER PASSED AWAY AT COLORADO SPRINGS FEBRUARY 13.

Mrs. Edith F. Shoemaker, wife of E. J. Shoemaker, a former resident of Dixon, died at her home in Colorado Springs, Colo., Sunday, Feb. 13th, notice of her passing having been received by relatives here. The funeral services were held on Tuesday, Feb. 15, at Colorado Springs, with burial at the Evergreen cemetery in that city. The deceased is survived by her husband and two children, Mrs. Shoemaker, whose husband for a time conducted a parcel delivery here and later was employed at the Howell hardware store, will be remembered by many Dixon people who will mourn her passing.

J. G. Ralston went to Chicago last evening.

Frank P. Sanford went to Chicago today to spend a few days.

THE DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH

A TALE OF
RED ROSES

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Is a good paper, but we hope to make it better.

Covering local news satisfactorily and thoroughly is the measure by which a paper must first be judged.

It is our intention to spare no effort to completely chronicle in each issue all the current news of the community. But that is not enough; in these days of many periodicals, for a satisfying paper must be a family paper filled with matter of interest and value to every member of the household.

Next to local news in point of interest comes fiction, and most everybody likes and enjoys the clean, wholesome, stirring kind.

We take particular pride in the character of the fiction admitted to our columns. As an indication of our efforts in this direction you will be interested in learning that through special arrangements the best of the recent novels are to be printed serially in this paper during the year in the order named. Read the titles and note the popularity of each author:

"A Tale of Red Roses,"

By GEORGE RANDOLPH CHESTER

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By GEORGE BARR M'CUTCHEON

"Before Adam,"

By JACK LONDON

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"The Lost World,"

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Washington's Birthday, February 22

A RARE combination of statesmanship and military genius; an unusual embodiment of tenacity, unshakable courage; a keen and militant sense of justice; these were the great virtues of George Washington.

They represent the spirit of fairness which we strive for in our business relations which should manifest itself in the sale of good merchandise, in the giving of values, in the guarantee of satisfaction. In that spirit we are trying to run this store.



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"The Standardized Store."

DON'T SCOLD, MOTHER THE CROSS CHILD IS BILIOUS, FEVERISH

Look at tongue! If coated, clean little stomach, liver and bowels.

Don't scold your fretful, peevish child. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with sour waste.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, indigestion, diarrhoea, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul waste, the sour bile and fermenting food passes out of the bowels and you have a well and playful child again. Children love this harmless "fruit laxative" and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make their little "insides" clean and sweet.

Keep it handy, Mother! A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Remember there are counterfeits sold here, so surely look and see that yours is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

WEST BROOKLYN

Peter Snyder was a visitor in our town Saturday.

H. A. Bernardin and son Joseph are back from Chicago, where they were in attendance at the lumber convention.

Paul Halbmaier was here Saturday on business.

Miss Lizzie Blackburn of Harmon visited with her sisters here Friday and Saturday.

August Gehant and wife motored to Dixon Friday to visit with their daughter Stella, who is attending the high school. Stella returned home with her parents to spend Sunday vacation.

A. B. McCrea of Lee Center township was here Saturday afternoon on business.

Herman Knauer has purchased a Ford touring car of John Halbmaier, the latter having bought a 1916 Franklin from J. W. Thier.

William Zirke was in town from South Brooklyn on Saturday afternoon.

Wm. Wigum, the tax collector, went to Mendota on Saturday to collect taxes from the Mendota people who own property in Brooklyn township.

The entertainment and social at the Nelles school on Wednesday night was well attended and enjoyed by all present. A neat sum was realized for the benefit of the school fund and as a result all interested in the affair are very thankful.

Mr. and Mrs. George Halboth and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Halboth were in town from South Brooklyn for the Leap Year ball held on last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barry of Mendota visited with their many relatives and friends here on Friday evening.

U. G. Dysart and wife were here from Viola township on Friday evening.

F. D. Gehant visited with friends in Moline and Viola, Ill., the first of the week.

George Fassig of South Brooklyn was in town on last Saturday afternoon.

Wm. Kehm of Compton was here Saturday shopping.

H. J. Lipps of Viola was a caller in West Brooklyn on last Saturday afternoon.

Miss Leafy Gehant is in Mendota this week as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Barr.

Prosper Gander has returned home after spending several days at the cement show in Chicago.

A big crowd was present for the Leap year ball and everybody had an excellent time. The hall was tastefully decorated in pretty colors and presented a fine appearance. The ladies certainly proved themselves to be able entertainers and no one will ever regret having attended the 1916 leap year dance in West Brooklyn. Many from Harmon, Walton, Amboy, Compton, Pawpaw, Sublette, Scarboro, Mendota and Steward were over for the event, making one of the largest crowds which ever assembled in the hall.

John Derr was in town transacting business on Friday. He had with him John Unwin of Iowa, a former resident of this locality, who is here on a short visit with old friends and acquaintances.

At the time of leaving here Mr. Unwin was a mere boy but is now conducting a big farm in northwestern Iowa. His father is still in Tennessee where the family moved from here and where his wife died some few years ago. John reports his folks as well and doing well in their southern home, but says for himself he prefers a more northern climate.

Clarence Durr of Harmon visited with W. J. Long and wife on Friday.

The Misses Henrietta McDermott and Florence Blackburn of Harmon visited with friends and relatives here the latter part of the week.

Ray D. Leake of Amboy transacted business in West Brooklyn on Saturday.

On Monday Mr. and Mrs. Henry Medill leave for their new home in Minnesota where they will continue to farm and reside if they can find a location to their liking. Although we regret to see them leave this vicinity we wish them every success and a pleasant home.

J. W. Thier has sold a Franklin car to George Schmuckel.

Joe Long, E. J. Morrissey, Leroy Kent were here from Harmon for the dance Friday night.

Twin daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Vernier on Friday morning. Everybody is doing fine and all are happy.

Frank Chaon was here Saturday on business.

ELDENA

Eldena, Feb. 21—Sam Albers of Dixon visited at the Isaac Mossholder home Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Shippert was in Sublette Sunday to visit her uncle, Milton Burright.

Mrs. Sadie Shoemaker has returned to her home in Wisconsin after spending several months visiting in this vicinity and also with her daughter, Mrs. Phillips, at Franklin Grove.

Mrs. Ethel Howard of Green River was visiting at the Ephraim Howard home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Buzzard and family were entertained at the Ephraim Howard home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heckman were in Dixon Saturday.

Percy Howard of Sterling is here for a short visit with his parents.

Clark Mossholder spent Saturday evening in Sterling.

Albert Glessner of Dixon spent several days here the past week with Jerry and Roy Glessner.

Bert Shoemaker will soon move to the John Hetler farm east of Dixon on the Grand Detour road.

Mrs. W. E. Gibson has returned to her home after spending a week at her home near El Paso, Ill.

HARMON

Harmon, Feb. 21—The drainage commissioners of district No. 2 met Tuesday to transact business matters.

Christ Smith of Nelson was here Monday.

Much corn has been accumulating at the local elevators on account of trouble being had in securing cars to load for shipment and as a consequence the shellers have had to be stopped.

Samuel Manning is out nearly every day buying up poultry. The market price is good and farmers are ready to dispose of their surplus stock.

Mrs. Harrison held a public sale at her place on Monday and will soon move to Walnut to take up her residence.

James Sweeney of Marion was a business visitor in Harmon on last Tuesday.

Glen Hopkins of East Grove was here Tuesday.

Wm. Keifer's sale was largely attended on Wednesday and everything sold well. He will move to Sterling about March 1 where he expects to go into the garage business.

Edward Dillon of Hamilton transacted business in Harmon on Wednesday.

John Blackburn of Marion township was here Wednesday.

Mr. Johnson of Dixon was here on Wednesday visiting his sister, Mrs. J. M. Lunds.

Charles Kent, the Harmon tax collector, states that the taxes are being paid in quite good. He has only about three weeks yet to keep his books.

John Considine has started moving to the Drew farm.

Michael Blackburn will move to his own farm in Marion township about March 1st.

A dance was held at the Catholic hall Tuesday night and was quite well attended. An enjoyable time was had by all.

At the sale held at the Deets farm on Thursday all articles sold at good price, the cattle and horses bringing a high figure.

There will not be any vote on the wet and dry question in Harmon this spring as not enough names were secured to the petition placed in cir-

ulation to bring the matter up, and hence the issue will go over for another year.

Albert McDermott and L. Seebeen of Marion were in Harmon on Thursday.

Abram Grove, residing near Van Petten, was a visitor in Harmon on Thursday.

Miss Clara McCune of Sterling was here Friday.

ASHTON

Ashton, Feb. 21—Dr. and Mrs. Gould are packing their good, preparatory to moving to Madison, Wis., next week. Dr. Gould's territory in selling the Form-A truck is southern Wisconsin. Their many friends here are sorry to have them leave Ashton.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Oesterheld of Dixon came to Ashton Monday afternoon to visit at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Bremner.

Miss Melinda and Luella Schaefer went to Dixon today where they are studying music.

Miss Lucy Hart entertained the M. H. club at her home Thursday afternoon.

The high school seniors are planning to serve a supper in the school auditorium a week from Saturday, Feb. 20th. The proceeds will go to pay for the Victrola which the seniors are giving to the school.

Mrs. Rosenfeld of Chicago is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. S. C. Gould.

Mrs. Allen of Creston returned to her home Thursday after visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Win Bates.

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob E. Henert Monday.

Henry Krug and Squire Jennings have announced their names as candidates for the office of assessor or a number of names are out for tax collector—Miss Mary Shoemaker, Adam Messer, Harry Wisman, Ed Arnold and Edgar Shoppee.

Mrs. Ralph Hester is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Cooper of Rochelle today.

Mayor and Mrs. Roy Jeter will move into the Dr. Gould residence in the near future. N. A. Petrie has bought the Jeter house and expects to move when vacated.

Ashton, Feb. 21—Miss Alice Eddy went to Chicago Saturday where she is studying vocal.

Remember the chicken supper Saturday evening at the school auditorium. The seniors want to raise money in this way to pay for the fine Victrola they are leaving with the school.

Miss Parks was a passenger east Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bremer went to Shabbona Friday to visit several days with Dr. E. J. Bremer.

Mrs. Conrad Smith was a visitor in Rochelle Friday.

Howard Stevens of Prophetstown was a week end guest at the Squire Jennings home.

The meetings at the United Evangelical church are continuing this week and it is the third week of the meetings. A large audience was present to hear the pastor, Rev. Eller, last evening.

The Ladies Aid will have a scramble tea Thursday afternoon at the Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Fred A. Richardson returned home Friday from Madison and Roscoe, Wis., where she visited friends.

A son, Wesley Williams, was born Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Killmer.

Mrs. E. B. Arnold and Miss Elizabeth Anrus spent the week end with Mrs. Arnold's sister at the ingdom.

A farewell supper was given Saturday in the Masonic hall in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Gould who will leave Ashton this week. The supper will be given by the Eastern Stars. The Goulds will move to Madison, Wis.

The Philatheas will hold their February meet Friday evening at 7:30 in the church parlors. A full attendance is desired.

CHANCERY.

State of Illinois, Lee County, ss. In the Circuit Court, April, 1916. Rolland O. Greig vs. Edith F. Greig—In Chancery.

Affidavit of non-residence of Edith F. Greig the above defendant having been filed in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court of Lee County, notice is therefore hereby given to the said non-resident defendant that the Complainant filed his bill of complaint in said Court on the 15th day of February, A. D. 1916, and that thereupon a Summons issued out of said Court, returnable on the Second Monday of the month of April, A. D. 1916, as is by law required; which cause is now pending and undetermined in said Court.

E. S. ROSECRANS, Clerk.

By FLORENCE WATTS, Deputy.

Dixon, Illinois, February 15, 1916. JOHN B. CRABTREE, Compt's Sol.

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AMBOY

Amboy, Feb. 21—The last number of the W. R. C. course will be given in the opera house Monday eve, 1st, by Edward Elliot, an impersonator, presenting a whole play. The Corps will have charge of the course next year.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Kleinmark who died Friday, took place Sunday at 3 p. m., from the residence of her nephew, Bernard Branigan, to St. Patrick's church with interment in St. Patrick's cemetery. The deceased was about 86 years of age and the widow of Joseph Kleinmark, who preceded her in death several years ago.

Thurflow Clink has sold his property at Union Corners to Fred Nicholson who will move there March 1st.

Mrs. H. C. Barth spent a few days in Chicago the past week.

Mrs. Harry Kline who was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gipson, returned to her home in Trinidad, Colo., Thursday.

Mrs. J. E. Lewis is entertaining Mrs. Ira Lewis of Dixon.

Miss Stella Klein spent the week end with Miss Mary Roat in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. James Garrett entertained the Green River Social club Friday evening at their home southwest of town.

Mr. and Mrs. L. McDonald had their son John, of Alberta, Can., as their guest the past week.

Miss Marie Flannagan of Freeport spent the week end here with friends.

Mrs. Garth is a patient at the Amboy hospital.

The Ladies Aid society of the Baptist church gave a scramble dinner at the home of Mrs. C. E. Ives Tuesday.

The Maroon basket ball team defeated the Mendota Athletic club, 25 to 20 Thursday evening at the Amboy opera house.

Miss Kate Robbins submitted to an operation at the Amboy hospital last Thursday morning.

Mrs. G. M. Finch entertained a number of ladies at her home on Plant street Thursday afternoon.

F. N. Vaughn was in Peoria Tuesday.

A patriotic entertainment will be given at St. Patrick's hall on the afternoon of Washington's birthday by the pupils of the public school.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Reilly went to Springfield Wednesday in response to a telegram announcing the death of the former's brother.

Mrs. Julius Wehnke is convalescent from a very serious illness.

Miss Catherine Fissel was a recent visitor at the Dr. Eddy home in La Moille.

W. J. Blair of Iron River, Mich., visited at the John Hook home the past week.

Thurflow Clink expects to enter the Mayo Bros. hospital at Rochester, Minn., next week.

Evan Rusher of Martinsville, is clerking in the Boynton-Richards store.

Miss Emma McKeever who is employed as a stenographer in Chicago spent a few days' vacation with her parents in this city recently.

W. F. Entorf attended a state convention of the secretaries of commercial clubs at Bloomington Wednesday.

Rev. J. T. Lynch of St. John's, Mich., spent a few days at the home of his cousin, John Lynch, Jones St. F. L. Doty was in Dixon Thursday.

Pairings for District Basketball Tournament, Rockford, Feb. 24-26

1. WOODSTOCK	6				
2. ROCK ORD		12			
3. SYCAMORE	7				
4. DE KALB			15		
5. MOUNT MORRIS					
6. STERLING		8		13	
7. M'HENRY					
8. BYRON	1		9		
9. ELIZABETH					
10. BELVIDERE	2				
11. HUNTLEY			10		
12. MOUNT CARROLL				14	
13. FREEPORT		3			
14. HARLEM CONSOLIDATED					16
15. POLO		4			
16. DIXON					11
17. WARREN					
18. WAUKEGAN		5			

Games No. 1, 2, and 3—7, 8 and 9 o'clock Thursday evening.

Games No. 4, 5 and 6—9 10 and 11 o'clock Friday morning.

Games No. 7, 8 and 9—2, 3 and 4 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Games No. 10, 11 and 12—7, 8 and 9 o'clock Friday evening.

Games No. 13 and 14—9 and 10 o'clock Saturday morning.

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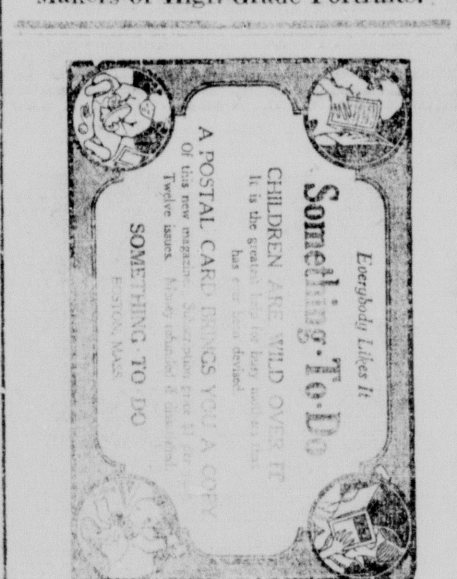


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Nearly All Paupers Men.
Lincoln, Ill., Feb. 22.—Thirty-three of the thirty-four inmates of the Logan county poorhouse are men, a condition to be found in no other county in the state, as in every other instance woman inmates outnumber the males.

Boy in Belgian Army, Father Objects.
Rockford, Ill., Feb. 22.—Frank Van Cauwenbergh, of Rockford, has appealed to King Albert of Belgium to relieve his son, Victor Cauwenbergh, from service in the Belgian army. The boy ran away from home last spring.

PUBLIC SALE.

The undersigned will have a public sale at his place of residence, 4 miles east of Dixon on the Daysville road, on the Dr. Ives farm, on

Thursday, Feb. 24, 1916

The following described property, to-wit:

8 head horses, consisting of 1 gray mare 4 years old, well broke, weight about 1700; bay mare 3 years old, broke, weight about 1700; bay mare 8 years old, weight about 1350, in foal and sound; bay gelding 2 years old, weight about 1100, sound; gray mare 10 years old, weight about 1400, sound and broke to all harness; bay pacing mare 4 years old, broke to all harness, sound, weight about 1000; bay mare 4 years old, broke, good double, weight about 1100; 1 yearling gray mare colt, weight about 800.

27 head cattle: 10 milch cows, 3 of which are full bloods, papers will be furnished on day of sale; 7 yearling heifers, 2 of which are full bloods with papers; 4 winter heifer calves, 1 full blood with papers, and 6 registered bulls.

14 head of hogs, all of which are thoroughbred Duroc stock and consist of 3 old sows and 5 young sows bred to thoroughbred hog; 2 thoroughbred boars, one old and one young; 6 young hogs.

Farm machinery of all description. Sale to commence at 12:30 o'clock. Free lunch at noon served by Fuls & Joynt, Stand rights taken.

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SALE DATES

J. H. Drew—Cow sale, Feb. 23, Wednesday, 1 mile north of Dixon, opposite Colony grounds; on car line.

February 24—Brant Mathias closing out sale, three and one half miles east of Dixon on the Dr. Ives farm. George Fruin, Auctioneer.

Feb. 25—Auction sale, on farm known as the Businga farm, 1 mile east and 4 1-2 miles north of Franklin Grove. Frank Wiemken.

Feb. 26—Combination Sale—Ben Baus Feed Shed, 105-113 Peoria Ave. George Fruin, auctioneer.

Feb. 28—E. J. O'Malley, public sale, 1 1/2 miles north of Walton. Fruin & Powers, Auctions.

Feb. 23—Merton Ransom, 4 miles southwest of Dixon, 1 mile south of Hill school, on Anderson farm. S. C. Forney, Auct. Chas. Leak, Clerk.

Wednesday, March 15—Clarence Leno, Gap Grove. Administrator's sale of personal property. D. M. Fahrney and Fred Hobbs, Aucts.

RUSS AT BITLIS; TURKS FLEEING

Advancing Slavs Occupying the Lake Van District.

TREBIZOND IS NEAR CAPTURE

Grand Duke's Forces Pressing Their Drive on Routed and Demoralized Moslems—Two Ottoman Corps on Way to Erzerum Hear of Its Fall and Turn Back.

London, Feb. 22.—The Russians have occupied the entire Lake Van district, the Turks retiring southward and even evacuating Bitlis, according to a Petrograd dispatch received in Rome and given out here by the wireless press.

On the other wing, according to the dispatch, the Russian advance guards have arrived within a short distance of Trebizond on the Black sea coast. Lake Van lies 100 miles southeast of Erzerum and Bitlis, a city of more than 25,000 population, is southwest of Lake Van, not more than ten miles from the nearest point on the lake shore. Bitlis is on the direct line of a force pushing from Lake Van toward Diarbekr, about 100 miles away, fifty miles beyond which city runs the Bagdad railway, possession of which by the Russians would cut Turkish communication with Syria and render hazardous the position of the Turkish forces facing the British down the Tigris in Mesopotamia and likewise the position of their forces in Persia.

Two Corps Turn Back.

Petrograd, Feb. 22.—A dispatch from Tiflis to the Boers Gazette says that two Turkish army corps which were on their way to reinforce Erzerum have turned back on being informed that the fortress had fallen. The Russians are pressing the advantage gained at Erzerum on both flanks. On the right, along the Black sea coast, by the co-operation of the sea and land forces, they are driving the Turks from one position after another to the east of Trebizond, and it is expected that active operations against that important seaport will not be long deferred.

Shore Batteries Destroyed.

In the last two days the Russians have occupied Witte (Widge) and pressed ten or twelve miles west. The fleet has destroyed in succession several shore batteries which might have been of assistance to the Turks, and by keeping well in advance of the land forces and by destroying bridges over several streams in the path of retreating Turks has rendered their retreat more difficult. The fleet has been working so close to the shore that the warships have been reached by rifle fire from the Turkish troops. On the other hand, the ships have spread confusion in the ranks of the Turks by dropping bombs among them.

On the left bank, after the occupation of Koph, the Russians pushed on to Mush and Achlat, the latter on the north shore of Lake Van. From Koph to Mush, sixty miles over mountain roads, they fought several battles and occupied Mush by storm.

Turks Fled Before Advance.

The Turks fled toward Diarbekr, the next objective of the Russian army. Once in possession of Diarbekr, it is only a day's march to the Bagdad railway, the last remaining communication into Syria.

The rapid Russian offensive beyond Erzerum, it is believed here, makes it probable that the retreat of the Turkish corps operating along the Black sea coast and of those troops which were active in the Mush district before the Russian occupation will be entirely cut off and that the main Turkish armies will be surrounded.

BRITISH REPULSED, BERLIN

Hand Grenade Attack on Yser Canal Fails—Quit Crater.

Berlin, Feb. 22.—Repulse of a British hand grenade attack against the new German position on the Yser canal north of Ypres was announced by the German war office.

Forced withdrawal by the British from the edge of the mine crater to which they recently advanced is also reported, as is the repulse of an allied attack on the German lines along the Lens-Arras road.

SAYS OUR SHELLS ARE BAD

Member of Parliament Hopes Britain May Soon Be Free of U. S.

London, Feb. 22.—In the general debate preceding the voting of the new war credit by the commons, Sir Joseph Walton, liberal member from Barnsley division, in urging the prohibition of needless imports, said that care should be taken not to get munitions from the United States.

Of twenty-eight shells fired in one howitzer only four burst, he said.

Pay Tax or Work.

Washington, Feb. 22.—Constitutionality of the Florida law making it a criminal offense to refuse to work out taxes on the roads when summoned was upheld by the supreme court.

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Mrs. J. Caritey, 511 Spruce street Dixon, says: "My back was so sore that I couldn't wait erect and morn it was hard for me to get out of bed. Various medicines didn't benefit me and when a friend recommended Doan's Kidney Pills, I got some at Leake Bros. Co's Drug store. After taking two boxes, my back was strengthened and I felt better."

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MARKETS

Local prices paid for grain:

Oats 40 41
Corn 30 32

LOCAL PRODUCE QUOTATIONS

Creamery butter 40
Dairy butter 27 32

Lard 11 15
Eggs 25 30

Potatoes 30 1.10
Chickens 18 22

Geese 16 21
Ducks 18 22

Turkeys 20 25

Poultry.

Light hens 9
Heavy hens 10

Springers 13
Old Toms 10

Indian Runners 8
Young turkeys 15

White ducks 10
Geese 9

ONE MAN CAN OUST ILLINOIS GOVERNOR

Just Write It in Senate Journal, It Goes.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 22.—If the journal of the senate cannot be inquired into and set aside, then one man can insert into it impeachment proceedings against the governor of the state, and can be removed from office, although the senate never considered the matter.

This is the argument made in a brief filed by F. S. Munro in the Ferguson circuit court in the Ferguson injunction suits.

The argument is made in connection with senate resolution No. 77, providing for the expenses of the office of the lieutenant governor in Chicago. The resolution, it is alleged, was written into the journal and was never acted upon by the senate. The attorney general contends that it is unassailable, nevertheless.

Binder Twine Price Jumps.

Peoria, Ill., Feb. 22.—E. C. Heidrich, officers of a Peoria cordage company, says binder twine will cost the retail dealer 10 cents a pound this summer, and that the farmer will have to pay more than he did last year. Damage to the Manila hemp crop by typhoons is partly responsible for the increase.

Rockford Boy Shot in France.

Rockford, Ill., Feb. 22.—Charles J. Johnson has been notified by the British government that his son, Fred E. Johnson, who is a member of a Canadian regiment, is in a hospital at Epinal, France, because of a gunshot wound in the shoulder.

Greek May Die of Burn.

Rochelle, Ill., Feb. 22.—Bill Kavadis, a Greek, was burned probably fatally when fire, resulting from Kavadis' attempt to kindle a fire with gasoline, destroyed the building in which the Greek conducted a shoe-shining parlor.

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TIME TABLE
ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily. *Daily except Sunday.

South Bound.

Local Express, Dly ex Sun 7:15 a. m.

123 Southern Exp. 11:03 a. m.

121 Clinton Exp.* 5:10 p. m.

North Bound.

132 Waterloo Exp.* 9:45 a. m.

124 Local Mail 5:34 p. m.

120 Local Exp.* 8:21 p. m.

Freeport Freight* 12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. *Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago

6 8:23 a. m. 6:45 a. m.

24 6:23 a. m. 9:05 a. m.

28 7:21 a. m. dly ex Sun 10:30 a. m.

18 8:05 a. m. 11:00 a. m.

10 11:19 a. m. 2:00 p. m.

20 11:01 a. m. dly ex Sun 2:25 p. m.

4 4:21 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.

109 4:15 p. m. Sun. only 7:25 p. m.

12 6:10 p. m. 8:45 p. m.

West Bound.

No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon

5 7:00 a. m. ex Sun. 10:20 a. m.

99 7:10 a. m. Sun only 10:23 a. m.

13 10:20 a. m. 1:05 p. m.

19 12:15 p. m. dly ex Sun 3:34 p. m.

27 4:20 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:26 p. m.

11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 a. m.

25 6:10 p. m. 8:57 p. m.

17 9:35 p. m. 11:53 p. m.

*7 10:00 p. m. 12:28 a. m.

3 10:45 p. m. 1:57 a. m.

*Lv. Dixon Ar. Peoria

TIME MAILS CLOSE

The following table shows the time of the closing of all mail forwarded from the Dixon postoffice. Mail should be in the office ten minutes preceding the locking of the pouch to insure its dispatch:

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The Farmers' and Workingman's Friend Store; the store that under sells and saves you money.

Men's heavy arctics95c & \$1.25

Women's heavy arctics75c

Men's 9 in. sheep skin shoes.....\$1.75

Men's sheep skin moccasins50c

Men's heavy fleece lined shirts and drawers, each35c

Men's fleece lined union suits45 75 95

Boys' fleece lined union suits 25 & 50

Men's heavy corduroy sheep lined coats, each\$4 to \$5.75

Boys' shoes, 9 to 12, a pair.....\$1.00

Men's button and lace shoes.....\$2.00

Men's heavy work shoes\$2.25

Women's shoes\$1 to \$2.25

Notions.

Best double Pinochle cards, highly enameled, 3 decks for25c

Lava soap, 3 cakes10c

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NOAH W. BEAL.

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Large grape fruit, each5c

Oranges, per dozen20 @ 25

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Fresh and smoked meats. Full list of groceries, fruits and vegetables.

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I will sell at public auction Friday, Feb. 25th, all my household goods consisting of beds, dressers, couches, tables, kitchen cabinet, desk, sewing machine, new heating and cook stoves and other articles too numerous to mention. Everything in excellent condition. Remember the day and place. H. E. WHELDON, No. 420 E. 7th St., City. Geo. Fruin, Auct. 442

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Auto Livery and Taxi Service, Day or night. Phone 197. Harley Court, right, 313 W. First St. Blackburn's old stand. Successor to J. E. Miller taxi service. 3911

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High scoring heavy laying White Wyandottes bred from Chicago and Springfield winners. 400 hens and pullets for sale, \$2.00 each; eggs \$1 per 15; \$6.00 per hundred. Will replace poor hatchers at half price. Nathan Hill, Dixon, Ill. Phone 22130. 43ml

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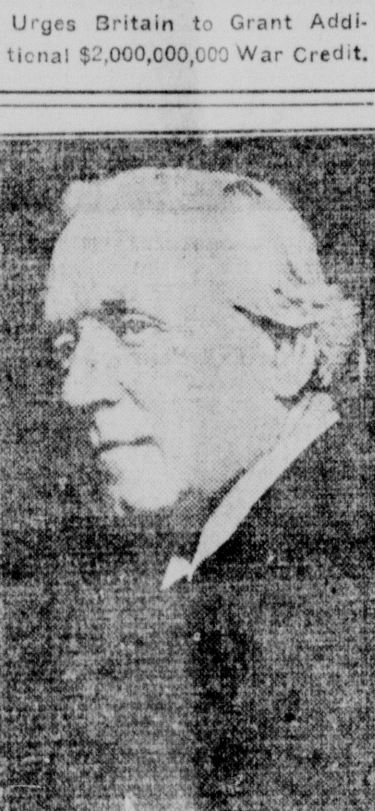


Photo by American Press Association.

FIFTY KILLED IN AVALANCHE

Snowslide in Salzburg Alps Hurls 134 Into Abyss.

Berlin, Feb. 22.—Fifty-five persons are known to be dead, forty-nine injured, and thirty missing as the result of a snowslide in the Kochkoenig district of the Salzburg Alps. The avalanche swept into an abyss a shelter house where 134 persons had taken refuge. The bodies of forty-three have been recovered.

The section where the accident occurred is a popular center for winter sports and is frequented largely by Munich residents.

FRENCH WRECK ZEPPELIN

Airship Was Flying in Meuse Sector and Fell in Flames.

Paris, Feb. 22.—A Zeppelin airship was brought down by French guns in the vicinity of Brabant-le-Roi, in the Meuse, according to an official announcement.

The Zeppelin was flying from St. Menchould toward the south, and was attacked by cannon from Aevigny. Hit by an incendiary shell, the Zeppelin fell in flames in the vicinity of Brabant-le-Roi.

Woman Gets Bruised Knee.

Cincinnati, Feb. 22.—Three cars of inbound train No. 46 of the Big Four road, from Chicago, left the track in the western section of the city when the rails spread beneath them. One woman passenger suffered a bruised knee and a man a bruised shoulder.

Orpet Held to Grand Jury. Chicago, Feb. 22.—William H. Orpet, Lake Forest boy and University of Wisconsin student, was held to the grand jury for the murder of Marian Lambert, eighteen year old high school girl found dead in Helm's woods a week ago.

ROUMANIA ASKS EXTRA WAR FUND

Bucharest Demands Double Appropriation For Year.

AID TO ALLIES IS PROBABLE

Russian Victories Over Turks and Encroachment of Bulgaria Give Both Courage and Pretext to Ally itself With Russia—Greek Paper Urges German Rule in Balkans.

Geneva, Feb. 22.—The Roumanian government has submitted to parliament a bill raising the war appropriation from \$60,000,000 to \$120,000,000, says a dispatch from Bucharest. The appropriation is to be covered by treasury bonds and loans.

Think It Means War.

Statesmen and financiers here interpret the sudden doubling of the war credit in Roumania to a strong belief in Bucharest that the Roumanian government is contemplating early participation in the war. It is declared that such a startling increase in the appropriation could be for no other reason. Whether Roumania is preparing to enter the war voluntarily or expects to be forced into it through the Balkan situation is an open question.

May Join Against Bulgaria.

Coming as it does on the news of the great Russian victories in Armenia, however, the announcement is believed to mean that Roumania is being swayed by the prospects of Russian victory to join forces with the Czar against possible serious peril from Bulgaria.

Favors German Rule.

Athens, Feb. 22.—The Greek press has most cordially received the declarations made by King Peter of Serbia in his recent interview with the Associated Press at Aedepsos, Island of Eupoea. The anti-Venezelist Nea Hemia, however, in an evidently inspired editorial, says:

"The monarch addresses the Bulgarians without bitterness, and says there is place for all in the Balkans and all that is required is good will. Unhappily, good will alone is insufficient, as politics is thus replaced by necessity, and it has already been demonstrated beyond doubt by the history of the last few years that the Balkan states require a regulator and arbitrator much stronger than they."

Hints at German Rule.

"Therefore, it is for us of the Balkans, since we cannot live in peace, whatever steps may be necessary to secure this, not forgetting the inexorable geographical law that the Balkans, surrounded by powerful terrestrial neighbors, cannot practically be tutored from the sea nor guided by powers situated at the other end of Europe."

SAVER OF FRAT LIVES DIES

Bob, Purdue Dog, Succumbs to Exposure After Blaze.

Lafayette, Ind., Feb. 22.—Bob, the four-footed hero of the Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity house fire last Tuesday, died of pneumonia and the members of the fraternity are in mourning.

Bob was a Boston terrier, five months old, and when the fire, which destroyed the fraternity house, broke out early in the morning it was his barking that aroused the sleeping students and enabled them to climb down the fire escape to safety. The dog was left in the basement and after the fire was out was found swimming around in the water. The drowning caused his death.

SHOWS BLOOD CIRCULATING

Battle Creek Sanitarium Has Moving Picture of Action.

Battle Creek, Mich., Feb. 22.—Under the direction of Dr. C. E. Stewart, microscopic moving pictures showing blood circulation in humans, has been finally completed at the Battle Creek sanitarium.

These pictures, said to be the first kind produced, will show how blood is circulated through the body, where, how and why obstructions arise, and the methods of treating poor circulation.

FOUR HURT; NONE SERIOUSLY

Engine, Tender and Baggage Car Topple on Monon in Indiana.

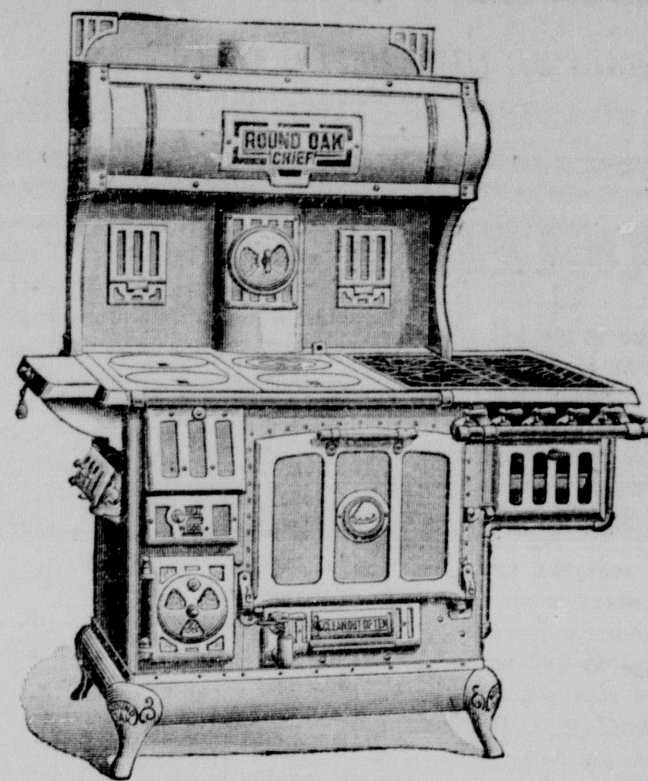
Frankfort, Ind., Feb. 22.—Four trainmen were injured slightly when the Hoosier Limited northbound passenger train on the Monon railroad, was wrecked here. The engine, tender and baggage car fell over.

A broken rod on the tender is thought to have caused the wreck.

Auto Plunge Kills Grain Man.

Kansas City, Feb. 22.—Erskine B. Russell, secretary of the Russell Grain company, a member of the board of trade and a prominent club man, was killed when the automobile he was driving plunged over a fifty-foot embankment in the south part of the city.

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